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A NATIONAL STRIKE IS URGED BY FEDERATION

(By Associated Press.)

New Castle, Pa., March 9.—The convention of the State Federation of Labor in session here unanimously passed a resolution asking that in the event of arbitration of the Philadelphia strike question failing, the American Federation of Labor call a nation wide strike of organized and unorganized workmen.

(By United Press.)

Philadelphia, March 9.—At 1:20 o'clock this afternoon the doors of the Baldwin Locomotive Works employing 12,000 men were thrown open and 1200 workmen marched out of the plant on a strike. The labor leaders declare 4000 have already gone out.

The strike leaders have been giving special attention to this plant which will be conducted as an open shop and have picketed it day and night. Great bands of strikers, with American flags, have been stationed about every window urging the workers to strike.

(By Associated Press.)

Philadelphia, Mar. 9.—Despite the excitement created last night by the shooting up of one of the principal thoroughfares by a trolley car load of alleged strike-breakers, there were no serious demonstrations against trolley cars in operation early today.

Three men and girl were taken to a hospital suffering from wounds from bullets fired by the men. They are not seriously hurt.

Much apprehension is felt as the outcome of the feeling stirred up by last night's attack.

Notwithstanding Director of Public Safety Clay declares the general strike feeling is on the wane, labor leaders declare they are steadi-...

(By United Press.)

Washington, March 9.—It was learned this afternoon that President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor upon his return from his conference with labor leaders in Chicago will go to Philadelphia, whether or not he will assume personal charge of the strike there depends upon developments.

Strike Breakers Fire Into Crowd.

Philadelphia, March 9.—Six persons, including a little girl, were wounded last night by bullets fired by a party of alleged strikebreakers, who rode wildly up and down Frankford avenue in a trolley car and shot into the crowds that line the sidewalks.

After one of the most uneventful days since the beginning of the strike, the stoning of cars was renewed last night along Frankford avenue, the principal thoroughfare in the mill district in the northeast. A stone thrown by one of the crowd injured a strike-breaking motorman. Infuriated at this, a crowd of about 15 of his comrades took out a car, all of the windows of which they broke with their clubs. As the car loaded with armed strikebreakers sped down Frankford avenue bullets were rained at the fleeing crowd.

Policeman Bragg of the Frankford district, who was standing on the sidewalk, received a bullet in his helmet about an inch above his head.

Helen May, aged 14, was struck in the leg by a bullet. John Mahoney, aged 18 and Michael Osborn, aged 24, were also shot in the legs and Frank Bromley, aged 21, received a bullet in his foot. Those wounded were removed to the Frankford hospital. Two other injured were taken to their homes.

After reaching Allegheny avenue the car was switched to the westbound track by its crew and the dash back to the barn began. So swiftly was it driven that before the crowd realized that it was coming back, it had swept past them and into the barn again.

... gaining ground.

Dr. Keller Interested.

Dr. Lester Keller and others at ...ton have organized the High-... Lumber Co., to develop timber lands in the south recently acquired.

Miners Demands Are Turned Down

(By Associated Press.)

Cincinnati, March 9.—The miners formally presented their demands at the conference of miners and operators of the central competitive field here today. The operators at once declared they could not grant the demands, saying if they did so they could not compete with the non-union mines in Kentucky and West Virginia.

The miners demands were presented by President Lewis of the miners union. They insist upon an increase of ten cents a ton on a basic rate of ninety cents for pick mined coal and a corresponding increase in other grades, Saturday half-holidays and a change from screen to a mine run basis in computing wages was also asked.

Arrest Clears Up Diamond Theft

(By United Press.)

Chicago, Mar. 9.—Captain of Detectives Wood declared today that in the arrest of Charles Rosenthal, in the Saratoga hotel here, the mystery of the $60,000 diamond robbery in the Hotel Lorraine, New York, December 11, 1909, has been found. Mrs. W. J. K. Jenkins will probably come to Chicago to identify 25 unset diamonds, believed to be part of the jewels stolen from her, which Rosenthal was trying to sell when arrested.

Nihilists May Get Light Sentences

(By United Press.)

Lemberg, Austria, March 9.—Private advices received here today from St. Petersburg, say that the evidence against Nicholas Tschaikovsky and Madame Catharine Breschkovsky, on secret trial for alleged criminal revolutionary activity is so farcical that there is strong hope that the prisoners will either acquitted or given light sentences.

It is not believed that the court would dare to inflict heavy punishment in view of the nature of the evidence.

Some of the witnesses, who have been called, are government spies, and others are criminals seeking pardon for aiding the government. The chief witness yesterday was a convict in chains.

A verdict is expected shortly, as all of the evidence is in.

(By Associated Press.)

St. Petersburg, March 9.—T. Schaikovsky, a noted revolutionist, was acquitted on a charge of criminal activity in the revolutionary organization.

Madame Breshkovskaya who was being tried at the same time, was convicted and sentenced to be exiled.

ALL ARE ANXIOUS FOR PEACE IN NICARAGUA

(By United Press.)

Bluefields, Nicaragua, March 9.—Unless General Chamorro, and Mena, the defeated revolutionary leaders succeed in reaching Bluefields ahead of General Basquez, leader of the government forces, Bluefield will surrender to Basquez without a fight. Revolutionary sympathizers are trying today to get Chamorra and Mena to surrender at Rama without giving battle.

The whole temper of the revolutionists is gone and they are anxious for the war to be ended with as little more bloodshed as possible.

United States Consul Moffatt, has been asked to urge the United States to intervene in case the revolutionary leaders persist in continuing the struggle.

(By United Press.)

Washington, March 9.—The leaders of the revolutionary faction of Nicaragua have submitted to the United States through the American consul at Bluefield a request for intervention suggesting certain conditions.

These are: The selection of a third person, neither Estrada nor Madriz, as provisional president; an agreement between the two factions on the basis of an early free election, neither Estrada nor Madriz to be a candidate; and the recognition of insurgents with the good offices of the United States as a guarantee of the fairness of the election.

ANOTHER STORM BREAKS ON TAFT

(By United Press.)

Washington, Mar. 9.—Practically charging President Taft with bad faith in the nomination of William F. Stone for another term as collector for the port of Baltimore, Thomas J. Wentworth, secretary of the Business Men's association of Baltimore, filed with the president today sensational charges against Stone, whose nomination went to the senate yesterday.

Among the charges are: That Stone has used his office despotically to build up a political machine; that he has violated the civil service regulations flagrantly and repeatedly; that he has intimidated and persecuted officers of the customs service; that he controls the Union League club of Baltimore, "one of the greatest gambling places in the city."

FIX DATE OF CONVENTION

(By Associated Press.)

Indianapolis, Ind., Mar. 9.—The state central committee decided to hold the Democratic state convention in this city April 27 and 28.

Swindlers On Trial

(By Associated Press.)

Council Bluffs, Iowa, March 9—With the opening of the trial of James C. Mabray and eighty other defendants in the federal court, all charged with being concerned in a wholesale swindling game by means of "fixed" races, prize fights and wrestling bouts, popular interest in this town visibly increased today.

About one hundred witnesses from a dozen states are here to testify. Mabray and thirteen of his associates were arraigned before Judge McPherson this morning. Thirty others named in the indictment who were arrested in different parts of the country, will be brought to Council Bluffs as fast as their cases can be heard.

Hogs Soar In Chicago

(By United Press.)

Chicago, March 9.—Values for hogs went up so rapidly in the stock yards today that the trade early stopped putting a maximum limit for the day. At noon, the highest price reported was $10.70, an advance of 40 cents per hundred pounds over yesterday's prices, and a new record figure.

Receipts of 16,000 head, when 30,000 had been expected, started the wildest and most sensational market in the world. One seller demanded $10.90 for his hogs, but found no buyer.

SOLDIERS ARE ORDERED OUT

(By Associated Press.)

Saratoga, March 9—A company of the Second regiment, New York National Guard, was ordered to Corinth today to maintain order during a strike of employes of the International Paper Co.

New Court Named

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, March 9.—President Taft today sent to the senate the following nominations for the new customs court of appeals: Chief Justice Robert M. Montgomery of the supreme court of Michigan to be presiding judge; associate judges, William H. Hunt of Montana, James F. Smith of California, Orien M. Barber of Vermont and Marion Devries of California.

Sensation In France

(By Associated Press.)

Paris, March 9.—The arrest of M. Duz following his confession that he misappropriated something like a million dollars of funds derived from the sale of church property for which he was liquidator created a great sensation. Intimations are made that other liquidators in the employ of the government are similarly involved. Catholic and royalist press generally manifest high glee over the exposure, and it will sure become a powerful weapon in their hands, in the general elections soon to be held.

Park Mills, an N. & W. bridge carpenter, is erecting a new cottage opposite the East Portsmouth school.

A MANIA FOR SHOOTING AT SWEETHEARTS

(By Associated Press.)

Marion, Ind., Mar. 9.—Sanford Love, called at the home of his fiancee, Miss Lottie Murden, today, shot her twice, once in the breast and once in the back. She will die.

Eight years ago Love shot another young woman, Nora Miller, to whom he was engaged to be married. She recovered. After shooting Miss Murden Love gave himself up to the police. Love is the proprietor of a restaurant and is 28 years old. Miss Murden is 18 and made her home with her mother.

The shooting followed a quarrel, during which Miss Murden broke her engagement with Love.

MRS. CUDAHY SAYS SHE HATES HER HUSBAND, AND ADMIRES LILLIS

Kansas City, Mo., March 9.—"I hate Jack Cudahy. I hope I never never see him again. If I can help it, and I am sure I can, he will never enter this house again. I am going to devote the rest of my life to the bringing up of my children.

"I admire Mr. Lillis. He is so clean, shrewd and courageous. It is a blessing to have some one of Mr. Lillis's caliber care for you.

"Jack Cudahy is a coward. If he had had any occasion to attack Mr. Lillis why was it not as a man to man, instead of calling in his servants to aid him?"

The foregoing is the statement issued by Mrs. Jack Cudahy, following the sensational affair of Sunday morning, when Jere F. Lillis, president of the Western Exchange bank, was attacked by Jack Cudahy, son of the wealthy Omaha packer, in the latter's home here.

Mrs. Cudahy, when seen today, still had a black eye from the effects of a blow by her husband. She received but few callers, but many telephone calls, and at least four times during the day she called up to learn of Mr. Lillis's condition.

General John C. Cowin, Mrs. Cudahy's father, scored Jere Lillis for entering his daughter's home after he had been warned to keep away by Cudahy.

"I have never liked Cudahy," said General Cowin. "In fact I tried to prevent my daughter's marriage to him. She has never been happy with him, but he should not have said what he did Sunday morning. He hid behind his wife's skirts when he said: 'He has ruined my home.' That was cowardly.

"Mr. Lillis also should not have gone into my daughter's home after he had been warned away. It was probably more his fault than any other's.

"I am not going to mix into my daughter's affairs, for I know that she can take care of herself. The home belongs to her and she is going to stay there and take care of the children, and I know that they will be brought up as they should be. I am going back to Omaha, but will be at my daughter's command whenever she may need me."

Jack Cudahy And Wife

The millionaire packer and wife whose visitor he found and slashed with a butcher knife.

Peary Must Show Them

(By United Press.)

Washington, D. C., Mar. 9.—After listening today to a critical analysis of Commander Peary's narrative of his polar expedition by Representative Macon, Democrat, of Arkansas, in which the congressman put Peary in the Dr. Cook class, the sub-committee of the house naval affairs committee voted unanimously not to take action on any of the various measures introduced to reward the explorer until actual proof of his alleged discovery of the north pole are submitted.

NEGRO PREACHER IS LYNCHED BY A MOB

(By United Press.)

Greenwood, Miss., Mar. 9.—Parson Wallace, negro preacher was taken from the county jail and lynched here shortly before noon today. A death watch had been maintained at the jail since an early hour last night.

Wallace had engaged in a revolver fight with a policeman in which both were seriously wounded. A mob surrounded the jail, but was kept quiet by a statement from the sheriff that Wallace would probably die. When it became known he might recover, the mob took him from the jail.

The officer shot by Wallace will recover.

(By United Press.)

The negro was a giant, being over 6 feet in height and weighing over 250 pounds. He had fought with the policeman over a bill which had been given him to collect. Wallace was in a dying condition when taken from the jail, but was strung up to a telegraph pole in the center of town.

Platt Laid To Rest

(By United Press.)

Owego, N. Y., March 9.—In the old Presbyterian church in this village, where for many years he has worshiped simple funeral services were held today over the remains of the late Senator Thos. E. Platt.

AUTO MERGER THE LATEST

(By Associated Press.)

New York, March 9.—The consolidation of certain large automobile interests, having a capitalization of several hundred million dollars is believed to be under way. It is said to be financed by J. P. Morgan & Co.

Rioting In Bogata

(By Associated Press.)

Bogota, Colombia, Mar. 9.—The rioting which began with a quarrel between the manager of the American-owned street railway and police officers Monday, continues. The American manager has been forced to seek safety at the United States legation.

The anti-American feeling is intense. The government is taking every precaution to safeguard American lives and property. A large force of police is stationed in the vicinity of the American legation and numbers of others who sought refuge there are said to be safe from harm.

Cadmus Jr. Was Sold

Among the horses sold Tuesday at the Richmond, Ind., horse sale was Cadmus, Jr., pacer, 2:15 1-4, owned by Clarence Vallery, Waverly, Ohio, to Abe Strauss, of New York, $400.

Cadmus, Jr., had been on the Portsmouth tracks several seasons.

Victim Of Measles

The dread epidemic, measles, claimed another victim Wednesday when Callie, the 12-year-old daughter of James McCoy, a well known resident of the West Side, passed away at 8 o'clock at her home.

She had been sick about two weeks, but it was not thought she was seriously ill until 5 o'clock Wednesday morning, when she was taken violently ill. Three hours later, at 8 o'clock, death came.

Funeral arrangements will be made later.

Mr. J. A. Scott, of McDermott, was in Portsmouth Wednesday on business.

Sen. Daniel Stricken

(By Associated Press.)

Daytona, Fla., Mar. 9.—Senator Daniel, of Virginia, was stricken with paralysis here last night. The stroke was slight and it is said he will recover.

MAKE CHANGE IN MEASURE

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, March 9.—The Interstate commerce commission was substituted for the proposed court of commerce in the proposed administration railroad bill by the house committee on interstate commerce today.

Stop Flood Pumps.

The flood pumps at the Madison street station ceased their work Wednesday noon. Charley Brown and Mike Engelhart have been in charge.

Boycott A Failure

(By United Press.)

Cleveland, O., Mar. 9.—The Cleveland meat boycott, which was the original movement of a nation-wide protest against the high cost of living, has resulted disastrously, for the price of hogs today is $10.50 as against $9.75 per hundred weight at the outset of the movement.

During the "strike" several small meat markets suspended business, and practically 100,000 working men abstained from meat for a short period. A boycott of the Cleveland live stock market by shippers resulted.

GET TRACE OF THE NINA

(By Associated Press.)

Norfolk, March 9.—The scout cruiser Birmingham put to sea this morning to pick up a life boat from the missing naval tug Nina which was found near Metomkin Inlet on the upper Virginia coast.

Gould Is To Wed Dancer

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Mar. 9.—A cablegram was received today by friends of Frank Gould, it is said, announcing that his marriage to Ethel Kelly, an English dancer, may be an event of the near future.

REQUISITION HONORED

Columbus, O., Mar. 9.—Governor Harmon today honored a requisition of return to Cabell county, W. Va., of Hugh Combs, alias Jerry Smith, under arrest in Portsmouth, and wanted for obtaining merchandise under false pretense. It is charged Combs gave E. G. Bailey an order for wages on a concern which did not employ him. BLAKE.

Back On the Job.

Clyde Hosey, clerk at Kyle's drug store, who has been off duty for some time on account of illness, resumed his work Tuesday.

Say that howl about hot weather yesterday gets me. Why Geo Whiz, th' snow ain't all off th' Kentucky hills yet and then to begin kickin' about th' buds. I'm "riled" I am and for two cents I'd freeze things up tighter'n th' lid on a dry town. (joke). There is no stoppin me when I get started—just have to keep goin' till I run down—like writin' this dope for instance. Here's th' weather for tomorrow:

West Va.—Increasing cloudiness followed by rain or snow tonight or Thursday.

Ohio—Increasing cloudiness followed by rain or snow in South portion tonight or Thursday.

Indiana—Unsettled weather, rain or snow in South portion tonight or Thursday.

Scott Muffler Co. Very Prosperous

There is a manufacturing concern here in Portsmouth that is going right ahead, making no noise and not attracting a great deal of attention, yet it is to be doubted if there is another industry ,which is having such rapid development and spreading the fame of Portsmouth so far and so high for the quality and artistic merits of its products.

This concern is the Scott Muffler company. It's name is somewhat of a misnomer as indicating its principal outputs. Originally it was organized with the chief purpose of manufacturing mufflers, but these have become no more than an incident to its business. The usual rocky road of new enterprises lay before it for the first two or three years of its existence, but when it began to make new lines it entered such a strong and continuous growth, that it has not been able to keep up with it. Last year it was forced to turn down orders that represented more than a thousand dollars for each week of the period. It was this tremendous growth which forced it to find larger quarters and it will soon occupy the upper three stories of the new Selby building on Gallia street, where it will be able to double its capacity. The firm is now devoting itself principally to the manufacture of knit goods in a wide variety. It was one of the exhibitors at the recent New York exhibition of underwear and knit garments and there was no other display which attracted more attention and praise than did the one made by it. In fact, the word comes from that city direct to The Times that in style, texture and finish some of their outer garment products were away ahead of anything shown here.

In a Visit.

Fred Warner of the Interstate Transfer company, took a run up to Scioto Furnace Wednesday to visit his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ted McCall and incidentally inspect that new nephew.

To Be Buried Friday.

The funeral of Miss Sadie Elliott will be held from the Methodist church at Friendship Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock instead of Thursday as previously announced.

Is to Reside In Spokane

Frank Kleffner, who has been in Spokane, Wash., for some time, has definitely decided to locate there and has ordered his household goods, which have been stored here, shipped at once.

Vanceburg Fire.

The residence of Doctor Clark of Vanceburg, Ky., was destroyed by fire early Wednesday morning. Mrs. Clark who was asleep when the house caught had a very narrow escape with her life. When she was awakened, the house was filled with smoke and flames and she made her escape by jumping through a glass door.

Leaves Hospital.

Thomas McCarty, a plumber, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, was removed from Hempstead hospital back to his home on New Seventh street by Lynn's ambulance Wednesday.

Are Reconciled.

James Amlin and wife, Mrs. Clara Mershon-Amlin have become fully reconciled and are again happily living together at their home on West Fifth street.

Towpath Not Damaged.

Si Barlow visited the Towpath Wednesday as soon as travel reopened and found that the road had not been damaged to any extent by the high water.

New Auto Here.

Irving Drew received his new automobile Wednesday afternoon. It is a 30 horsepower four cylinder Packard.

James Gibbs has about fully recovered from his recent operation for appendicitis and is able to appear upon the streets again.

Hunts For Lost Boy

Hamden Junction, O., Mar. 9.—With the impulse of an inborn love for the sight of her first-born, after a separation for 22 years, since the baby was about one years old, a middle-aged woman giving her name as Mrs. Mandana Miller, residing in Jackson county, arrived in Hamden this morning imbued with the fond desire of restoring to her bosom the long separated one, but was doomed to disappointment.

The heart-broken mother said that in the latter part of the eighties she was employed in a hotel in this village and was betrayed by a druggist, now deceased. The babe was adopted in the home of the druggist, but when about one year old was taken by the reputed father and his business partner to Chillicothe and placed, as they claimed, in a good home. Since that time Mrs. Miller, who has raised a family of grown-up children, has had no tidings of her loved one, and until her arrival here today was not aware of the father's death, which occurred some five years ago.

Mrs. Miller is in hope that some one who knows the boy's history, and where he is at present, will relieve her anxiety.

Big Crowd At Auction Sale

A great quantity of household goods were disposed of at the sale of the household effects of W. B. Anderson, on Gallia street, Wednesday afternoon. The carriages and harness were disposed of first, and then a large amount of furniture, pictures, etc., were quickly sold. The exact amount of cash turned in could not be ascertained.

Changes At The Bell Co.

It was reported that some wholesale resignations took place at the Bell Telephone company's exchange Wednesday.

Rumor had it that Miss Walden had resigned as chief operator, Charles Rand as wire chief, and George Goshorn as collector, besides two or three others. F. J. Rickey, the new manager, when asked by the Times said that nothing of any debate nature had as yet developed, although it was likely he would make some few changes. Mr. Rand, who is a son of Charleston's fire chief, expects to remain in Portsmouth and permanently locate here.

Was In Columbus.

J. T. Carey, the new superintendent of the Norfolk & Western, who took his position March 1, was in Columbus Monday renewing old acquaintances. Mr. Carey formerly lived in in Columbus, when he was trainmaster of the Columbus-Portsmouth division of the N. & W., Mr. Carey's headquarters are at Portsmouth.—Columbus Dispatch.

Some acquaintances at the steel plant of G. Muller, the chemist who came here to take a position, but became suddenly unbalanced, are arranging to send the poor fellow back to Pittsburg.

Aha! Deep Mystery

Frank White, well known engineer, has another mystery to look up. Recently some one painted the name of "Commodore" on his speedy launch, and he never did find out the name of the party. Now on Wednesday morning he went to see for his launch, which is moored at the foot of Union street, and found her flying the black flag. Engineer White wants it distinctly understood that he is not a pirate, and he promises to give the guilty fellow a sound threshing if he can but learn his name.

Ask your druggist for that exquisite odor.
TREKO PERFUME
For over eight years a favorite with particular women.
If your druggist does not keep it, send us his name and 4c (stamps) for sample.
Daniel Stewart Company, Indianapolis, Ind.

Argument By White

Wednesday afternoon Mr. White, anti-saloon league attorney, concluded the arguments before the Circuit court in the Billy Maier case, mentioned elsewhere. He stated that one of the main defenses set up in such cases where the liquor was analyzed and found to be intoxicating that it was for the family use, but when it was not analyzed it was not intoxicating. He also argued that the taking out of a U. S. license to protect himself when it was intended for family use, was absurd and ridiculous. "This alone" said he, "is bona fide evidence that Maier was guilty." He also pointed out as conclusive evidence the actions of those about the place of business when the search was made, and the keeping of such persons as "Foxy" and other loafers about.

Judge Milner made a very fair reply to Mr. White, disputing many of his statements.

Mr. White asked the court that if they decided to admit the case on error to rule upon it then and there.

Had Great Crowd.

The breaking of a sprocket wheel in the moving picture machine, caused a postponement of the show at the Arcana theater, Tuesday evening from 7:45 until 9:00 o'clock. But despite this fact Manager Potts handled a crowd of 1,000 people and believes he would have broken the attendance record had the breakdown not occurred. However the machine is now in smooth running order, and the show will be given tonight as usual.

Husband Is Injured

Word was received, Wednesday afternoon, by Mrs. Isaac Cundriff, 815 John street, concerning a serious accident that befell her husband at Salem, Ill., recently. Mr Cundriff, who is employed as boiler maker in a large railroad shop in that city, had his foot mashed so badly that for a time it was feared it would have to be amputated. The ligaments were torn to shreds, and it is feared he will be crippled for life. He is expected home Thursday evening.

An Appeal to The Public

Safety Director James P. Brennan Wednesday issued an appeal to the public in an effort to regulate traffic and avoid danger of accidents in and around Government Square.

Drivers of any and all kinds of vehicles going westward on Gallia are asked to take the north side of the Esplanade and those going eastward the south side. He also suggests that all street cars first come to a dead stop at corners before crossing intersections there whether receiving or discharging passengers or not.

New Bookkeeper.

Glen Dais, well known Portsmouth young man, has accepted the position of bookkeeper at the Marting Dry Goods Co. He succeeds Don McFarland, who resigned recently. Mr McFarland will leave on a prospective tour of the West within a few days, hoping to find a location.

To Elect Delegate.

A delegate will be elected by the Knights and Ladies of Security, Thursday afternoon, to attend the national convention of the organization to be held at Toledo some time in April.

New Messenger Boy.

Douglass Perry, of 749 East Eighth street, has taken a position as messenger boy with the Western Union Telegraph Co.

Chief Davidson, who for several days has been wrestling with a severe attack of the grip, was able to appear at headquarters Wednesday.

Water Works Bond Issue Case Heard

The water works bond issue case came up in circuit court on Wednesday afternoon on an agreed statement of facts It was explained to the circuit court that the case was going to be taken to the supreme court, no matter what its ruling was, in order to get a final decision on the legality of issuing $300,000 bonds without an election, to build the water works.

Upon this representation the circuit court issued a pro forma decree affirming the decision of the lower court and refusing the injunction to restrain the bond issue.

The case will now go to the supreme court at once and a ruling obtained, it is hoped, within a short time.

BAKER QUITS CONFERENCE AND RESIGNS

Columbus, O., March 9, (Special)—The long drawn-out quarrel between the Senate and House over the $2,000 appropriation for the care of the supreme court elevator ended Wednesday in a victory for the House when the item was stricken from the partial appropriation bill.

Senator Baker, of Cincinnati, quit the conference in a huff over the outcome and later resigned from the committee.

The adjutant general controlled the elevator up until a year ago and named the attendants. Then it was taken away from him and placed in charge of the Supreme Court, who named Representatives for the jobs, supplanting the two Democrats.

As the matter now stands the appropriation is left out of the partial appropriation bill. It will come up later in the general appropriation bill, when the Republican majority will see to it that the Supreme Court controls the elevator.

Senator Baker wanted to bull the thing through in the partial appropriation bill and when he found the other five against him walked out of the committee room.

Baker's action caused much talk. He is chairman of the finance committee of the Senate.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to sincerely thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy in the death of our beloved one, Mrs. G. L. Miller.

THE FAMILY.

Mr. J. H. Vincent, of this city, who travels in the southwest for the S. L. Pierce Shoe Co., of Cleveland, left with his fall line Monday morning.

Files His Account.

A. M. S. Dunn, as administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Evans, deceased, late of Bloom township, filed in probate court Tuesday a distributive account, showing amount received $234.52 and amount distributed $207.86, leaving a balance of $26.66.

Was In Columbus.

Capt. Cliff Drown of Co. K, spent Monday in Columbus on business connected with the company.

Master Harry Cooper of 54 East Front, is ill with measles.

Mrs. Terry Davenport is detained at home by illness.

Miss Maud Riegle is ill with grip.

COULDN'T DO IT, ANYHOW

"Paynter says he can paint ahead of your husband."

"Well, the head he did of me was pretty bad."

Will Manage the Local B. B. Club

Who has been selected to manage the Portsmouth team in the Ohio State league the coming season.

Advertises Her Home For Sale

Wednesday's Cincinnati Enquirer stated that Mrs. A. C. Thompson, widow of the late Judge Thompson, is advertising her home in Mt. Auburn for sale, preparatory to moving back to Portsmouth. The home is the one in which President William H. Taft first saw the light of day.

Mann Comes To Close Deal

J. A. Mann, of Burnsides, Ky., arrived here today for what is said to be the purpose of closing a deal for the purchase of the Smith lumber plant at Fullerton, Ky., which he expects to convert into a spoke and rim factory. Mr. Mann, who is well known here, was at one time connected with the Breece rim and spoke works of this city, but for several years has been located at Burnsides where he has charge of a large plant.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, who have been the guests of the latter's father, Henry Evans, of East Third street, returned Wednesday morning to their home at Jackson, Ohio.

Miss Mary Webb, of New Boston, will leave Sunday for New Orleans, where she will join her relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Clark of East Third, will go, next week, for a visit to his sister, Mrs. Sallie Hitchcock of Owensboro, Ky.

Attorney Mark A. Crawford is in South Webster on business.

Misses McClellan, Scott and Bagley, teachers in the Ashland, Ky., schools, are here visiting the elementary departments of the local schools, learning some pointers.

Several children in the family of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Buckley, are ill with measles.

Dottie Dialogues

Animated Debate on the Effect of Fine Clothes on Masculine Minds.

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BY WALTER A. SINCLAIR.

"Clothes make the man—admire," paraphrased Dottie, accusingly.

"Eve said it first," I retorted. "A fig for such artifice!"

"A man is less impressed by a bright face than by a costly gown," she asserted, furthermore.

"So is his bank account," I replied.

"Put any poor girl in an expensive ball gown and"—

"She'll catch a cold," I hazarded. She froze me with a glance.

"I was trying to say that she would deceive any man"—

"Why limit the accomplishment to poor girls?" I asked.

"Would deceive any man into believing her a society girl," continued Dottie, undaunted. "You probably read about that Brooklyn woman who rigged a couple of girls up that way and a count and another man were smitten with their beauty. And then she dressed up her cook"——

"It wasn't the cook. No man would have allowed a good cook to escape a proposal," I corrected, pertly. "Anyway, what are pretty gowns for, if not for decking pretty women?"

"I've seen them used for decking show windows," she tittered, having scored one that time.

"I suppose you will contend that if the man of that house had dressed a coachman in full or intoxicated evening clothes"—— I began.

"He would have deceived no one," averred Dottie.

"Men have less practice at deception," I defended, freibly.

"Call themselves the superior sex," said she, contemptuously. "And then are deceived by an evening gown."

"Scanty deception," I sniffed.

"Men prefer the society of a pretty, well dressed girl, no matter how empty headed, to the company of a clever, plain girl," she asserted.

"ON THE ELBOW."

"Tisn't true!" I protested. "Don't I frequently call on you"—and then the words congealed and icicles hung around the room.

"Well, go on! Say it!" she urged, defiantly.

"You're quite unfair," I complained.

"That's right; make it worse! Why should I care?" she demanded of the ceiling.

"I mean unfair in argument. You know you're fair enough to see." I floundered on desperately. She began gradually descending from the ceiling and was soon within speaking distance. "Can't a girl be pretty and well dressed and clever?"

"I suppose one can," she admitted, grudgingly.

"At least one can," I emphasized.

"How nice of you," she condescended. "But men are impressed by woman's dress. Just notice on a car how they give up their seats to well dressed women and let poorly dressed women stand."

"Then you always get a seat?" I inquired. "Funny how women act about that. The other afternoon I kept my seat while a very well dressed girl stood."

Ominous pause. "You see, she had halted stock still by the door, whereas if she had walked into the middle of the car she could have taken her pick of two seats I could see. I didn't dare get up and yell at her, because there were several jammed around where I stood ready to drop into my seat if I vacated it. Funny how women will refuse to budge from the ends of the cars when there are seats to spare at the middle. If I had stepped over to attract her attention I would have lost my seat, and as she kept her back turned to me I couldn't catch her eye. Fussy little man near her peeked out from behind his paper and tapped her on the elbow with his umbrella handle, intending to point out the empty seats, whereat she gave her shoulders an indignant shrug and walked into the next car, and the little man melted with blushes."

"Did you notice how she was dressed?" she asked, with sudden interest.

"Why, no," I answered. "I think she had on a brown and white striped suit."

"With a black satin picture hat and white aigrette soaked by the rain—about five o'clock—day before yesterday?" she questioned with a rush.

"I refuse to answer on the ground that it might incriminate me," I hedged.

"If I thought you sat there knowing"— she began. "Well, that goes to prove that it's all a drama of clothes."

"Suggest 'Schedule K' for a title," I remarked.

"Sounds like these alphabetical play titles they have now," she mused. "Did you like 'Madame X'?"

"I prefer, madame'selle 'I,'" said I; and was forgiven.

EH, WHAT?

"My boy, can you inform me who George Washington was?"

"I can, sir. He was the only man who never told a lie—bar you, of course."

Ohio Falls Steadily

The Ohio continues steadily falling, having dropped to the 46 foot mark Wednesday morning and ought to be off the West Side roads by evening. The streets in Slabtown that were under water were left a perfect sea of mud.

County To Aid Them.

The family of Mrs. Richard Elliott of Franklin avenue, whose daughter, Sadie, died Sunday have been warranted over to the county authorities for relief. They are in needy circumstances and several of the family are ill.

The latest at Lehman's.

Named Inspector.

Dick Barry has been appointed an inspector on the North Chillicothe street paving job.

New suits at Haas'.

Joe Schneider, of the city engineer's office, is laid up with a severe cold and incidentally suffering from bumps received in trying to ride K. of C.'s goat Sunday.

Squire James Piatt of Buena Vista was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

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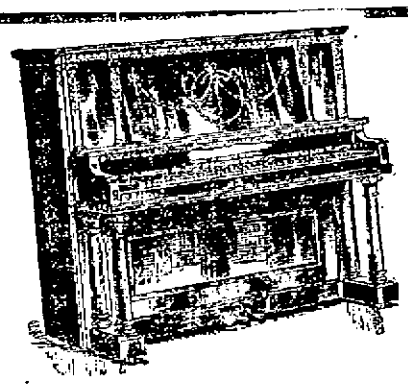

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Death Comes to A Fine Young Lady

Very suddenly and under sad circumstances came the death summons of Mrs. Estella Price, the young wife of Harry C. Price, an Excelsior shoe cutter, at their home, corner Front and Sinton streets Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Price though having suffered with lung trouble for almost a year had been able to attend to her household duties and only Sunday afternoon visited her sister, Mrs. Oscar Tumbleson of Highland avenue. Upon her return she began complaining and took to her bed never again to arise, growing rapidly worse Monday. On Tuesday evening when it became apparent her condition was dangerous every effort was made to prolong life until her mother, Mrs Wesley George, of Marion, could reach her bedside, but in vain. The mother arrived Wednesday noon. Mrs. Price herself did not realize that her end was near. She remained conscious up to within a half hour before she expired and falling into a deep sleep. the end came quietly and peacefully.

Mrs. Price was about 24 years of age. Her maiden name was Cottrell. She was married to Harry Price on Christmas eve, three years ago. They have one child, Irene, aged 2, who fails to realize the loss of her mamma. Besides these there survive the following brothers and sisters: Harry and John Cottrell and Mrs. Nora Kirks of Marion and Mrs. Tumbleson of this city.

Mrs. Price was an estimable young woman and attendant of the Christian church.

Funeral services will be held at the late home Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. E. J. Meacham will officiate. Burial will take place in Greenlawn cemetery.

NOW ALL READY FOR THE BIG MURDER TRIAL

Detective Jack Rice of the C. & O. who was a visitor here on Tuesday evening reported everything in readiness for the prosecution of Fred Ferguson and Mrs. Sarah Hill-Higgins for the murder of the late C. & O. ticket agent, Will Culbertson.

The circuit grand jury will convene at Greenup next Monday and if bills are returned against the two accused their trials will follow immediately. According to Rice much new and damaging evidence has been developed since their hearings and some big surprises are promised.

Going To Hot Springs.

George A. Goodman of the Gilbert Grocery company, who recently underwent a slight surgical operation in Cincinnati, expects to leave Saturday for a few weeks' sojourn at Hot Springs.

SCHOOL GIRLS HANDED LEMON TO B, BALLMAN

Mayor Searcy is filling up the lot, beautifying the lawn and otherwise improving his home at Fourth and Gay streets. It was a good one that Bill Ballman, who is doing the work had to stand for Tuesday. Two school girls who passed by watched him for an instant and then one turned to the other saying: "That fellow is working out a fine."

Druggists and other seed dealers did a land office business Tuesday selling lawn and garden seeds.

Sam Wise left for Manchester Tuesday on business for the Wise [illegible] company.

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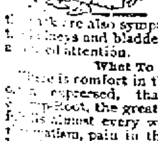

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Will Abolish Twp Trustees

Columbus, O., Mar. 9.—Senator Schaffer, of Paulding, has a bill to abolish boards of township trustees, which consists of three members, and, instead, provided for but one trustee. It also seeks to combine the office of township treasurer and township clerk and put all the work now done by these officers and the present board in the hands of the one trustee. This will cut out four offices and result in a big saving to the townships of the state. The single trustee will be allowed a salary of $3 a day for each day's work that he actually performs. There is a movement on foot to abolish boards of infirmary directors, consisting of three members, and turn the work over to the county commissioners.

Last Half At The Majestic

The Clarence sisters, carrying their own transformation scenery, will be the top liner for the last half of the week at the Majestic theater. This act is just off the big city time of William Morris, inc., having been featured successfully in such cities as Chicago, Denver, Seattle and San Francisco.

Besides this act the program will include, Silent Mora, travesty illusionist, who styles himself as "The man with the dancing fingers," Morris Jones, the perfume coon, an eccentric blackface artist, and to wind up the bill, Abe Leavitt, assisted by Alda Chrystie and Marion Campbell, in a comedy sketch, called "Mirth and Melody," that is guaranteed to be "the goods" as a laugh-producer.

The pictures, as usual at the Majestic, will be worth the price of admission, and will finish up a bill that should, according to the dope sheet, be the best vaudeville show seen in Portsmouth this season.

OTHERS PREPARE TO LEAVE CITY

Other soft drink men are said to be preparing to follow the example of A. Hurth in offering to dispose of their entire local property holdings now that their last hope, the Dean bill has been defeated.

Back To Vanceburg.

Supt. John Hall of the county Infirmary is camping on the trail of Henry Rictor and family and expects to ship them to Vanceburg despite their protests.

GOES BACK OF CONSTITUTION

The case of Elizabeth Prediger against the City of Portsmouth, on error, from common pleas court, was heard before circuit court, Tuesday evening. The case grew out of the city grading the street on which her property fronts necessitating her therefor to raise her lot and house to conform to the new grade, at a cost of $235.39.

Attorney N. W. Evans presented the case to the court on behalf of plaintiff and Attorney Horace L. Small represented the city.

Captain Evans in presenting the case fully sustained his representation as a constitutional lawyer. In this case he went even further than the constitution, basing his argument on the ordinance of 1787.

OBITUARY

Adam Henry Cross, son of Pleasant E. and Lydia Mittendorf Cross was born at Quincy, Ky., March 6th, 1908 and died at Portsmouth, Ohio, March 6th, 1910, aged two years.

He is survived by father, mother and five brothers, Fred R., Walter E., Arthur E., Dudley F. and Robert B. and two sisters, Ella Ethel and Alice Katherine He was a member of the Cradle Roll, Trinity M. E. church.

Remains were taken to South Webster, Ohio, March 8th for interment.

FISHING SEASON IS NOW OPENED

Davy Jones slipped one over on his fellow anglers Tuesday. The pleasing sunshine tickled his toes so much that he just could not resist the temptation of taking a stroll out to the beautiful waters of Millbrook and it's a standing conclusion that whenever he goes to Millbrook he takes his fishing tackle along. This is just what he did Tuesday and he had no sooner lowered his bait into the water than a beautiful bass that tipped the scales at two pounds and five ounces, in some manner, got tangled up in his line and could not get out before Davy had him safely on terra firma.

"It surely was a dandy," he tells his fellow sportsmen, and gives them some idea of its length by advancing his right foot and arm and placing his left hand about midway between the elbow and shoulder of the right.

Davy opened the season last year with a pounder and a half, but is doubly jubilant now over breaking all previous records. He has a little aftermath in which he tells how, after landing the big bass, he cast and cast his line from 11 a. m. till 4 p. m. and not even a sucker would give him a chance.

Card of Thanks.

We sincerely thank our friends for their acts of kindness and attention during the sickness and death of our baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Pleasant E. Cross and family.

John Gleason is steadily recovering from a severe sick spell and hopes soon to resume his duties at the Irving Drew shoe factory.

Donald, a four-year-old son of Sam Cutlip, of West Fourth street, is dangerously ill with measles.

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Back From South.

James and Charles Brammer, formerly employed at the C. & O. pump house in South Portsmouth, have returned home from the South. Jim spent the winter as engineer in a brick plant at Birmingham and Charley was employed as engineer on a tram road.

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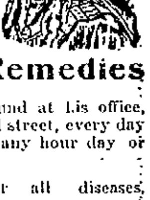

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THE CONTRAST.

Stories have been running frequently of late in Republican papers, that the Oklahoma bank guarantee law has proven a failure and all the state financial institutions are anxious to have the system abandoned. Considering the source we did not give much credence to the tales and now we have conclusive proof of their entire falsity. From a circular advertisement, just issued by the Citizen's state bank of Okemah, Oklahoma, in which is employed an old acquaintance, we take extracts, which so completely cover experience in the workings of the guarantee law and the argument therefor, that we feel the best we can do is to publish them without further comment. Read them and you will be enlightened as to the actual truth. They are as follows:

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"Two State Bank failures within the past few months, one of them the largest State Bank in the state, have tested the Guaranty Law thoroughly. No depositor in either bank lost a cent, nor was he inconvenienced by having his money tied up. There was not a single moment during banking hours when he could not go and get his money just as if nothing had happened.

"With the National Bank failure it has proven a different story. The Capital National bank of Guthrie, which failed six years ago, has paid 65 cents on the dollar to its depositors, paying this small sum in piece-meal installments, without interest, and the depositors do not know whether they will get any more of their money or not. The remainder is likely to prove a total loss.

"The depositors of the Farmers National bank of Tulsa were confronted with what threatened to prove a similar situation, but they had heard of the beneficial operation of the New State Guaranty means of evading the delays, experse and loss of the customary National Bank receivership. A few days since these depositors signed an agreement to leave their money with the bank for one year if the bank would resume business and make an effort to recover its losses.

"Now you see why the Guaranty Law is unpopular with politicians looking for fat receiverships; why it is unpopular with attorneys who seek remunerative litigation, and why it is unpopular with local National Bankers who are doing business under a system which suffers so severely by contrast with the new law. But their assaults on the new system only serve to emphasize its advantages to the man who has his money on deposit.

"These advantages, thus plainly emphasized, are:

"In case a State bany failure the state steps in, takes charge, and pays the depositors 100 cents on the dollar at once.

"In case of a National Bank failure the U. S. court appoints a receiver who takes all the time he wants, usually a number of years, to settle the affairs of the bank, is paid excessive fees out of the bank's depleted resources for his trouble and hires expensive lawyers to assist him, who are also paid from the bank's funds, all this expense having to be borne by the depositors.

"Less risk of failure, because the suspension of a state bank affects no other bank. Its creditors are all paid in full and other banks having funds in the suspended bank are not embarrassed. This materially lessens the danger of a money panic and when one is forced by over speculation by gamblers on the stock market, very sensibly lessens its disastrous effects."

WILL HELP BANKS.

It is easy to understand now why the great financial institutions of the country so abruptly ceased opposition to the postal bank bill. As the measure is shaped it promises to be a profitable thing for them. There is a provision in the bill that every money order office shall become a receiving not a holding bank. All sums received by it shall be promptly deposited with some bank in the county. It is well provided in addition, that the postmaster shall not make individual choice of the depositing bank, but the sums received by him shall be let to assumably the highest bidder. This point, however, is not made perfectly clear by the synopsis of the bill sent out from Washington, which leaves an impression that the postmaster may choose any bank, which bids the interest required by the government.

The effect of the measure should should it pass the house as it did the senate, will undoubtedly be to largely increase the volume of money in circulation. It will also have a tendency to cause inflation, since the postal certificates are the highest form of security and can be negotiated. It can be readily perceived how the new plan may cause considerable shifting in deposits as between banks as many persons receiving small sums of money, for which they have no immediate use would deposit with the postoffice instead of a bank, knowing that whenever they need the cash they can sell their certificates, which would, apparently, have the result of throwing the money into the postoffice depositary, and losing it to the bank which otherwise would get it. In the total, however, it is not likely any particular institution will suffer more by this possibility than it will gain by the compensating fact that, as already said, the general effect of the bill will be to bring more money into circulation, a condition from which not only all banks, but business generally will profit.

The postal bank bill as now presented is not such a measure as The Times would like to see enacted by congress, but on the whole it may not entrain all the evils predicted of it and it bids fair to have some beneficial operation. There is one point in it that calls for the serious consideration of bankers generally. It is this: Supposing some bank in a remote and inconsequent part of a rich and populous county becomes the single depositary, what will be the effect upon that particular county?

Did Chairman Hitchcock of the national Republican committee, member of Taft's cabinet, have a tip on what was going to be handed out to Wade Ellis when he made public pronouncement that the Ohio organization would get neither financial nor other assistance from the national committee?

Uncle Sam has millions coming from corporations, which have not made their tax reports. He need not let this make him forget that a bird in the hand is worth a whole covey in the brush.

To Honorable Adna Romulus Johnson, M. C.: In politics, as in everything else, it is action and not words that count when it comes to the show down.

Secretary Knox announces he is going to keep his hand out of the new Nicaraguan embroglio. How true it is the burned child dreads the fire.

The probes into the high cost of living seem to be directed with an eye single to keeping the probers in their living.

THE CASE OF MARSHALL.

Up in Columbus some years ago an ordinary young man by the name of George S. Marshall chanced to be elected city solicitor. He rolled along making a very ordinary official until he happened to come under the eye of Robert F. Wolfe, that aggressive shoe manufacturer who owns two Columbus newspapers, the Ohio State Journal and the Evening Dispatch. Wolfe let Marshall in on some big graft exposures and, in newspaper parlance, "played him up to a finish" all through the cases.

Mr. George S. Marshall kept plodding along but Wolfe's newspapers daily boosted him and by and by this very ordinary young man was hailed as the Moses to lead Columbus out of a wilderness of sin and iniquity. He was nominated for mayor and elected by a large majority. He entered upon his career as mayor with the support and good will of every newspaper and of every law-abiding citizen in Columbus. Now in two short months Mr. Marshall has lost all this.

Why is this so?

It seems to puzzle Columbus, but from this distance the answer is easy. Simply the old, old case of a man becoming intoxicated by success and losing his mental balance; simply the old, old story of a vanity so puffed up that it can only give utterances in "I's"; simply the ever old, ever new story of a public man becoming afflicted with the big head.

That is the answer.

It is too bad indeed to see a man with such an opportunity for good make such a consummate ass of himself as Marshall has. Why, for instance the man made a speech the other night and classed the Columbus newspapers with resort keepers, gamblers and the riff raff of law-defying element generally!

Yet it is a fact that Columbus newspapers are habitually decent and honest and always enterprising and public spirited. Columbus knows that and it is no wonder Columbus rubs her eyes and gasps in hurt amazement.

There was a newspaper slogan in the municipal campaign "Let George Do It." It ought to be amended. Somebody else ought to "do it," and they ought to "do it" properly and thoroughly.

Swellheaditis has occasionally been cured before. It can be again.

THE RIGHT CATCH.

When, about four years ago, Governor Pattison appointed J. W. Johnson of Waverly, to succeed Mark Slater as public printer, Johnson had to take forcible possession of the office and get new keys to the doors and desks to keep Slater out. Shortly afterwards Slater became the alleged victim of a mysterious letter writer, who made sundry threats against him. Johnson was indicted on the charge of being this letter writer. The indictment against him was quashed but an exceedingly diligent Republican prosecuting attorney had him indicted on the same charge again. Nothing came of this latter either. The underlying purpose of the prosecution was to drive Johnson from the office. This failed. But now behold what the whirligig of time brings. Mark Slater is himself a prisoner, being unable to give bond for the twelve indictments returned against him at Columbus, for malfeasance in office and the same Republican prosecuting attorney who pressed the charges against Johnson is now prosecuting Slater confident he has the right hog by the ear this time. It is not surprising, however, that it should take him four years to become convinced of that fact and not even then until a Democratic governor issued orders that something had to be doing!

We know some people who are real sorry to see the Ohio running down. They actually cherished the foolish delusion, that if it got up a matter of sixty feet or so it would wash the flood wall away.

Mark this: Portsmouth is entering upon the most prosperous year in her history.

The Ohio is a trifle skittish, but isn't it now the real lovely stream?

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The Tired Business Man—Tell, Friend Wife, About the Check Book Heroine.

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BY WALTER A. SINCLAIR.

"Did you read what Mayor Whitlock, the new Golden Ruler of Toledo, said about women living out of check books?" asked Friend Wife. "Sounded like they were the heroines of the books."

"Of the six best buyers, I presume," observed the Tired Business Man. "You guess right the very first time, for many a check book has a heroine, to say nothing of plot and action. And more of the figures Gibson or Wenzell ever drew can compare in beauty with the figures by which some receiving illumines the book.

"When the conversation turns to literature and the gushing young thing is asked by the high brow what her favorite book is she invariably replies 'the check book.' So we can believe that she is patterning herself after the heroine of that interesting volume—none other than our old friend Miss Doll R. A nimble, roving jade is she, her green dress sometimes a bit ragged and wrinkled or her bright face occasionally scratched or dented, but when she goes to work in a bank she always creates plenty of interest—anywhere from three to four per cent.

"But if the gilded Mayor objects to women living out of check books what is his ideal out of a book be, a agricultural department reports or the court stenographer's notes? The modern novel certainly does not present the kind of heroine he would like to take into his home to preside over same and his weekly pay envelope. The leading female in the modern story is usually a lady burglar, a suffragette who spends entirely too much time in jail, or a damsel whose inherited weakness is to tank up on a gallon of kerosene.

"OUT OF A CHECK BOOK."

"Give me a green book every time for good light reading especially the stubs of checks for illuminating gas and electricity. And there's always a laugh in the pages showing how a woman with no account overdrawn fifty roubles.

"In honor of the woman out of the check book I have written a little poem. It runs somewhat as follows, also to wit:—

"Her figure may be large or small,
It doesn't always matter.
No bank directory gown she wears,
In no low cut she decks.
She's natty and she's very fair
When seen arrayed in checks.
She's sought by all the gallants,
But a cruel cashier's look
Oft makes her lose her balance
And it quickly ends the book.

"That's as far as I got when my quarter-in-the-slot poetical meter blew up. I can't outlook much more about a check book heroine, but there's one book which I occasionally read that has real live heroines of all sorts in it."

"What book is that?" asked Friend Wife, waking up.

"The city directory," said the Tired Business Man.

To Manage John D.'s Gift

New York, March 9.—Just as John D. Rockefeller's world wide philanthropic scheme is made public comes the announcement that his son, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., will resign as director of the Standard Oil Company to head the joint charity planned by his father. To charter the Rockefeller Foundation a bill has been introduced in the United States Senate by Senator Jacob H. Gallinger.

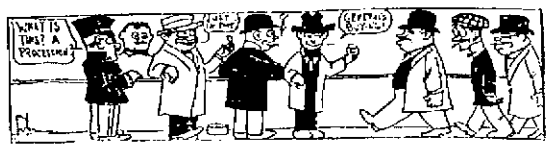
According to the provisions of the bill the foundation will conduct philanthropic work along all lines. It is organized to promote the well being and advance the civilization of the people of the United States and for the prevention and relief of suffering, and for the promotion of any and all the elements of human knowledge.

So far as appears Senator Beatty's committee is not disposed to accept President Taft's letter to "My Dear Friend Hy" as a clean bill of health.

SIDELIGHTS ALONG WASHINGTON BYWAYS.

Washington, D. C., Wednesday, March 9. — Brigadier General Clarence Edwards, chief of the Bureau of Insular Affairs, and intimate friend of President Taft, is one of the most popular men in public life in Washington.

When Mr. Taft was at Hot Springs, Va., some of the natives introduced him to a very excellent drink, the principal ingredient of which was champagne.



The General sampled it and found it to his liking. He told a newspaper correspondent about it and proposed that they try it.

The invitation was intended only for that particular correspondent but being an unselfish sort of person he wished to let his friends in on the sampling proposition.

"Edwards is going to introduce me to a new kind of drink," he informed his fellow workers. "We are now on the way to the bar. Pass the word along the line and round the boys up. I'll hold him until you all arrive."

The General and the correspondent walked into the barroom and gave their orders. Pretty soon the rest of the correspondents dropped in in a careless manner. All took occasion to walk over and say "Howdy" to the General.

"Join us," said the General.

They did, and as they joined there as a stream of pencil pushers crowding through the doors, with more outside waiting for a chance to get in. The General looked them over, gazed reproachfully at the man who was intended to be his only guest, and then remarked to the bartender:—

"Make enough of those concoctions for every newspaper man in Hot Springs. I seem to be up against it."

The busiest man at the Capitol of the United States is Elliot Woods, superintendent of the Capitol buildings and grounds. He is so busy, in fact that his intimate friends declare that he keeps a blue print of every minute of the day and night in order that he keep close to his schedule for utilizing all of his waking hours.

Woods has under his personal charge the House and Senate office buildings, the Capitol and the grounds surrounding it. Anyone who knows anything about the finicky dispositions of members of the House and Senate will admit that the man who attempts to minister to their wants is up against a big job.

If a Senator discovers, for instance, that he is not quite as comfortable as he thinks he ought to be in the office chair provided for his use he calls up Elliott Woods and asks for another chair. If a member of the House discovers that his next door neighbor has a prettier rug in his office he promptly calls up Elliott Woods and demands that his rug be changed. The next morning he finds that the new rug has arrived.

When the House and Senate decided that they would spend a few millions erecting marble office buildings for their respective members they turned the jobs over to Woods. Some time ago the House came to the conclusion that it was crowded for room and that the acoustics were bad. Elliot Woods was consulted. Now he is preparing plans to change the seating arrangements in the House.

Woods has two hobbies which take his mind off the details of being superintendent of the Capitol, namely music and wireless telegraphy. Every wireless operator along the Atlantic coast knows Woods. He has a high power station in his office and at night amuses himself talking with ocean going ships and with land stations along the coast. When he tires of the wireless for the time being he writes his compositions on the piano. Take it all in all Woods manages to keep busier than any other man in Washington.

The Onlooker.

It is pointed out that the meat packers indicted in New Jersey will be immune from punishment if they keep out of the State. Well, what's to take them there? Guttenburg isn't running any more.

Alderman Marks wants all automobile numbers illuminated, holding it is not sufficient for the joy riders alone to be all lighted up.

Decision in the Murphy-Moran bout will cause a feeling that Johnson and Jeffries should meet anywhere but in California.

Albany witness testified he could not remember whether he had been custodian of a corruption fund in 1902 and 1903. Occurs that it was not a proper question or was improperly put. Witness should have been asked to specify the years he could remember when he had not been custodian of such a fund.

"Red" Adams, swindler who has gotten away with millions, was sentenced to four and a half years. His lawyer raises his hands in horror at this, on the ground that, being an old man—sixty-four—the sentence is practically for life. Sympathetic lawyer has forgotten to deduct the twelve months good conduct time. Getting so kind hearted we'll soon be handing out bonuses to bank wreckers, halos to highwaymen and pensions to perjurers.

Somebody will make himself disliked directly by inquiring as to the particular pull "Red" Adams had to enable him to secure such a speedy trial.

To take the place on the despised pocket, which no self-respecting costumer will fit into a dress, London women have a finger pocket, made of silver or gold, in a square or circular design, which hangs from a short chain, at the end of which is a ring to slip over the middle finger. If foolish fashion ever wiped out man's hip pockets he'd have to carry a valise all the time.

Mr. Pinchot says his action was simply designed to protect President Roosevelt. Mr. Pinchot's worst enemy can simply trust that Colonel Roosevelt's eye will rest on this admission.

Jerseyman, 101 years old, who enjoys fifteen cigars and a few drinks daily, says worry is a germ. That's so. But why make it singular? There's the landlord germ, butcher germ, grocery germ, Easter hat germ, tired feeling germ, and then some.

She Knows.

The maiden primping at her glass
Is also very wise.
By putting on a gown that shows
Her figure best, the winsome lass
Makes plain the fact that she, too, knows
It pays to advertise.

—T. E. M.

You do not make the worst mistake when you buy at home; nine hundred and ninety nine times out of a thousand you do the best thing.

Confidentially we have seen worse months than March, that is, so far as this one has gone.

President Taft should not have forgotten to enjoin Hy to "burn this letter."

To be sure there are reports that the peach crop is blighted.

Building Permit.

A building permit was issued Monday to P. H. Harsha for an engine room to be built at his flour mill, 557 East Eighth street. The contract has been awarded to the Smith Lumber Company and the estimated cost is $[illegible]

Slippers of the latest [illegible] at Lehman's.

Market Place of the Munnimakers

The Advertisers are Eager to Sell—So they Offer Values so Big and Prices so Low that the Readers are Eager to Buy. A Square Deal and a Quick Deal for You in the Market Place of the Munnimakers. Profit for the Seller, and Advantage for The Buyer.

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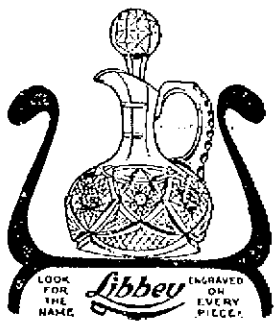

There may be a wedding to which you have been invited. You don't know just what to buy for a present—its a hard question to decide. Drop in and see if we can't help you out of a dilemma. We have everything in Cut Glass and Hand Painted China. Things that will look well among other presents and that will bring joy to the prospective bride. Seeing the things will suggest what you ought to buy, and the price shall not deter you from buying in our store.

J. F. CARR Jeweler and Optician, Chillicothe and Gallia St.

MASONIC

Aurora Lodge will meet on Thursday evening, March 10th for work in the Entered Apprentice Degree.

Calvary Commandery will meet on Friday evening, March 11th for work in the Order of the Red Cross.

WANTED.

WANTED FURNISHED HOUSE

WANTED—To rent for long term desirable house in good resident locality. Furnished complete with all modern conveniences, bath, gas, etc., for family of three and help. Will exchange references. Address Opportunity, Times Office. 8-5

WANTED—To buy chicken brooder, 100 capacity. Call on Roy Brady, Coverston's meat market. 9-3

WANTED— Experienced girl as waitress at the Manhattan restaurant on Gallia St. 9-4

WANTED— Cleaning, pressing and repairing. Joseph Faivre, 157 East Third. 3-9-2m

WANTED—Fruit farm with 700 to 1,500 bearing trees. Will pay cash. Address R. S. Reeder, Barden, O. 9-4

WANTED—A young girl to take care of children and assist in house work. Call at No. 156 East Second street. 8-3

WANTED—A girl at Gray's restaurant, 174 East Tenth St. 8-3

WANTED—At once an experienced girl for general housework. No washing or ironing. Apply 96 East Second street. 8-3

WANTED—Work of any kind to do. Call at No. 11 West Third street. 7-3

WANTED—Good house girl. No washing. Mrs. Harvey Dorff, 180 East Rhodes avenue, New Boston. 7-3

MONEY TO LOAN on Real Estate. The Portsmouth Savings & Loan Co., Opera House Block. 7-3eod

WANTED—Man to superintend sales, etc., in this locality. Salary $100 to $150 monthly, office expenses and commission. Salary and commission should amount to $3,000 yearly and up. Applicant must have $500 to $1,000 to carry enough stock to fill orders on receipt. New laws compel use of our goods. Address Liberty Mfg., 530 School Bldg., Cleveland, O. 5-6

$90 A MONTH SALARY and all expenses and extra commission to introduce Poultry and Stock Powders. No cash deposit or bond asked. The Grant Co., Dept. 31, Springfield, Ill. 5-6

WANTED—Woman to assist in house work and wait on old people in the country. Bell phone, County 4 R 3. 5-4-Wt

EVERYTHING FROM SHINGLE TO BUILDING.

We supply and sell and buy all sorts of timber and lumber. We also handle roofing, American Gypsum Co., Dry Color Paint and Varnish. E. M. Funk, 129 East Twelfth, Phones, Home 1224, Bell 211 tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Stocks and securities of long established corporations. Absolute safety. Non-taxable. 6 and 7 per cent interest. Both large and small accounts. Particulars free. Box 705, Portsmouth, O. 3-7

FOR SALE—Three 5 room houses on New Seventh street, with gas for light and heat, water in kitchen, good cellar. One seven room house on Harvard. Inquire 820 Harvard St. 7-6

FOR SALE—15 head of work horses, drivers and colts. Will sell at a bargain to make room for other stock. W. E. Tripp, South Webster, O. 7-6-W

FOR SALE—Fine organ, also fine square piano, cheap. Were taken in exchange. Baldwin Company, 88 West Second. 7-3

FOR SALE—$1,000 non taxable city bonds bearing interest at 3.65. Will be sold at par with accrued interest. A. H. Bannon. 9-5

FOR SALE—New Idea Sewing machine in good condition. Price $10. Inquire 704 Vinton avenue. 9-3

FOR SALE—Mare, cheap, at 525 Gallia street. Home phone 535. 9-3

FOR SALE—Three piece Mahogany parlor set, book case, refrigerator, 12 dining room chairs, dining table, sideboard, 2 oak bedsteads and other household goods at once. Call before Wednesday noon. Bendure, 59 West Sixth street. 8-2

FOR SALE—One bay horse, one gray mare, weight 1,100 lbs. one 4 inch tread road wagon, one platform spring express wagon, one double and one single set work harness. Inquire Bard's second hand store, Sixth and Gay streets. 8-5

FOR SALE—1 horse on Chillicothe pike. Fred C. Bobst, Bell phone 333L. 7-3

FOR SALE—Singer Sewing Machines. Every sewing machine guaranteed. Best needles, oil and supplies. Phone 471. C. Uhl, Mgr., 31 West Second St. 5-7

FOR SALE—4 room cottage, 504 Grant. Inquire at once. 5-6

FOR SALE—The Gibson property. Mrs. Willis who has been occupying house for 17 years. Has 40 to 50 boarders all the time. Eleven rooms, all modern improvements. Best location in city. Can be used for boarding, rooming or dwelling. For particulars call 821 Findlay. 25-12t

FOR SALE—3 room cottage at New Boston. Call East End Furniture Co., Eleventh and Lawson. 29-tf

FOR SALE—Stereotype mats, better than paper for putting under carpets. Times office.

FOR SALE—New up to date 7 room house, bath, electric lights, gas for heat and light, hot and cold water. Best location in city. Address B. B. care Times. 22-tf

FOR SALE—Or trade for city real estate, my residence in Scioto-ville. A bargain is offered. Frank L. Sikes, Turley Bldg.

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Home phone A 672.
1446 Grandview Ave.

FOR SALE—Cheap, square piano in good condition. Inquire 116 East Fourth St. 9-5

FOR SALE—Turkeys for hatching. A. W. Thompson, 205 W. Front. Phone 147. 11

FOR SALE—Cheap, 21 foot launch with 6 horse power engine. Phone B 431 or call 112 Gallia. 8-3

FOR SALE—Large book case. Call at Dr. Rardin's office, 108 Gallia St. 9-3

FOR SALE—Dining room set, bed room suit, bric-a-brac cabinet, refrigerator, sewing machine, combination book case writing desk, kitchen cabinet, gas range, hot plate, go cart, stands, rockers, etc., at once. Hurth, 104 East Fourth St. 9-4

FOR SALE—1,000 dozen pint beer bottles with stoppers attached, suitable for home bottling beer or root beer. Also lot of stoppers that can be attached. Hurth, 210 Market St. and 224 Chillicothe. 9-6

FOR SALE— Business lot, 328 Gallia, worth $100 per foot. Will sacrifice if sold at once. Make offer. Address Frank Preston, 1449 Clinton St., St. Louis, Mo. 8-2

FOR SALE—Cheap, two Singer Sewing Machines. Call at Swinkerts' grocery. 4-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT— Furnished room, 26 West Third street. 5-6

FOR RENT—Desirable store room on Campbell avenue. Store room on Chillicothe street. 5 room house, 1437 High street. C. S. Cadot, Agt., Room 225 Masonic Temple. 5-tf

FOR RENT— Furnished rooms for light house keeping. All conveniences. Inquire 117 West Third street. 4-tf

FOR RENT—On Monday or Tuesday nights K. of P. lodge hall in Wertz building, Third and Chillicothe streets. Inquire of Charles Barlow, William Haney or Al Rockhold, trustees. 28-tf

FOR RENT—Fine room, centrally located, hot and cold water in the room. Mrs. John A. Grimes 128 East Second St. 1-tf

FOR SALE

3 room cottage on Waller St. hill. Can be sold, $100.00 down.

Three 3 room cottages on East Ninth street, on easy payments. Price $1,150.

Four 5 room houses and two 5 room cottages at Terminals. Can sell on terms.

5 room house, 78 East Eighteenth. Price $1,650.

Samson farm near Harrisonville, $4,200.

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ROLLER COASTER FOR MILLBROOK

The Portsmouth Street Railway and Light company contracted with the Foy Amusement Co. of Cincinnati, Tuesday, for the erection and operation of a $15,000 riding devise, popularly called a roller coaster or loop the loop machine. The devise is to be erected to the right of the pavillion at Millbrook park and is to be in operation by the 15th of May.

More than one-half mile of track insures patrons of a delightful ride, despite the fact that the round trip can be made in 1½ minutes. The curves and dips will be very fast and those people who have experienced the exhilerating and thrilling sensation will bank on this devise furnishing everything in this line.

The top of the incline will be fifty feet, high will afford a splendid view of the park. The entire ride will be lighted with hundreds of incandescent lamps, making a great white way all by itself. The company agrees to have material on the ground within two weeks time, and a force of forty to fifty men will be imported to construct the devise. The plans agreed upon by the Street Car Co. includes ten cars, of six passenger capacity, and as it only takes 1½ minute to complete the trip, patrons can be handled rapidly.

The Foy Amusement Co. are operating coasters in various parts of the company and have yet their first passenger to injure, insuring a safe but thrilling ride.

The addition of the Roller Coaster will put Millbrook park in a class by itself as a summer amusement place. Other improvements and additions are contemplated but the company will not divulge their nature at present.

FOR RENT—Seven room house, gas and bath. Inquire 627 East Eighth. 4-6

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping at 540 Court. 9-5

FOR RENT—Desirable flat on Fourth street with bath suitable for man and wife. Call on Cecil Miller. 9-tf

FOR RENT—Room at 63 West Eighth street. 9-3

FOR RENT—Part of house for family of two. 925 Washington street. Equipped for gas. Inquire 82 West Third. 9-tf

FOR RENT— Furnished room suitable for one or two persons. Privilege of 'phone and bath. 160 East Third St. 9-3

LOST.

LOST—Three dollars on Chillicothe or Gallia street, Monday afternoon. Finder return to 812 Grimes avenue. 8-2

LOST—Gold handle from Umbrella with initials "R. B." Return to Kirby's for reward. 8-2

LOST—Opal tie pin, diamond setting. Reward for return to Times office. 7-6

FOUND—Pocket book containing some money and ring in New Boston Christian church. Owner can have same by calling and describing property. Milt Billings, New Boston. 8-2

FOUND—Pocket book. Owner can have same by calling on Miss Anna Weber, 80 Sixteenth street. 8-3

MONEY TO LOAN

On Watches, Diamonds and Singer Sewing Machines at Special sale on Trunks and Suit Cases to be sold at wholesale prices.

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Are to Sweep At Night Only

Service Director John Jones received a petition Wednesday forenoon asking that the street sweeping on the principal retail streets, Second, Chillicothe and Gallia, hereafter be done at night, to avoid the dust and also interfering with travel.

Director Jones was only too glad to grant the request and has arranged to have these streets cleaned each Tuesday and Saturday nights.

Get Ready For Work.

Kelley Bros. have made preparations for bringing their live stock in from winter quarters on Dogwood Ridge next week. The contractors expect to begin work immediately upon the improvement of Chillicothe street from Seventeenth to Kinney's Lane.

THE MARKETS

Opening.

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, March 9.—Wheat May $1.11½; July $1.05; Sept. $1.04⅝. Corn May 62½; July 64½; Sept. 65½. Sept. 40¼.

Close.

Wheat March $1.13; May $1.13⅜; July $1.07¼; Sept. $1.04⅝. Corn March 61¾; May 63⅝; July 65⅝; Sept. 66¼. Oats May 44⅞; July 42⅝; Sept. 40⅜.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Chicago, March 9. —Cattle, receipts, 1300 head, market steady; beeves, $5.20 to $8.40; stockers and feeders, $3.60 to $8.35; cows and heifers, $2.35 to $6.60; calves $7.50 to $10.00.

Hogs, receipts, 17,000 head, market 15 higher; light, $10.30; mixed, $10.45; heavy, $10.50; pigs $9.95.

Sheep, receipts, 12,000 head, market strong; $5.00 to $8.10. Lamb, $8.00 to $9.50

Cleveland, March 8.—Hogs, receipts 1600 head; market 10c higher; light $10; medium $10.50; mixed $10.50; yorkers $10.50; pige $10.

Cattle, receipts 3 cars; market firm; calves, receipts 100 head; $10.50 top.

Lambs, receipts 5 cars; market strong; $9.50 top.

In Circuit Court.

The condemnation suit of the N. & W. Ry. Company against H. D. Bahner and others was taken up in circuit court Wednesday afternoon. Attorneys Osborn & Miller represented the defendant and Hon. H. T. Bannon the railway company. This case was appealed from common pleas court by the defendant when he secured a verdict for $840.

Is Going West.

Kelley Stewart, a well known lumberman and timberman, has disposed of his farm at Peter Cave, Ky., six miles south of Portsmouth. He expects to go to Washington state to locate.

Mr. Davis Very Ill.

Chief Dispatcher C. T. Davis of the N. & W., continues very ill with the grip at his home on West Sixth street. Dispatcher Roy Bridges is temporarily filling his duties.

Mrs. John Liter, wife of an old pensioner, who has been doing the cleaning around the city offices, is ill and Will Ballman, a Spanish war veteran has been temporarily appointed to the position.

Donovan Is Sick.

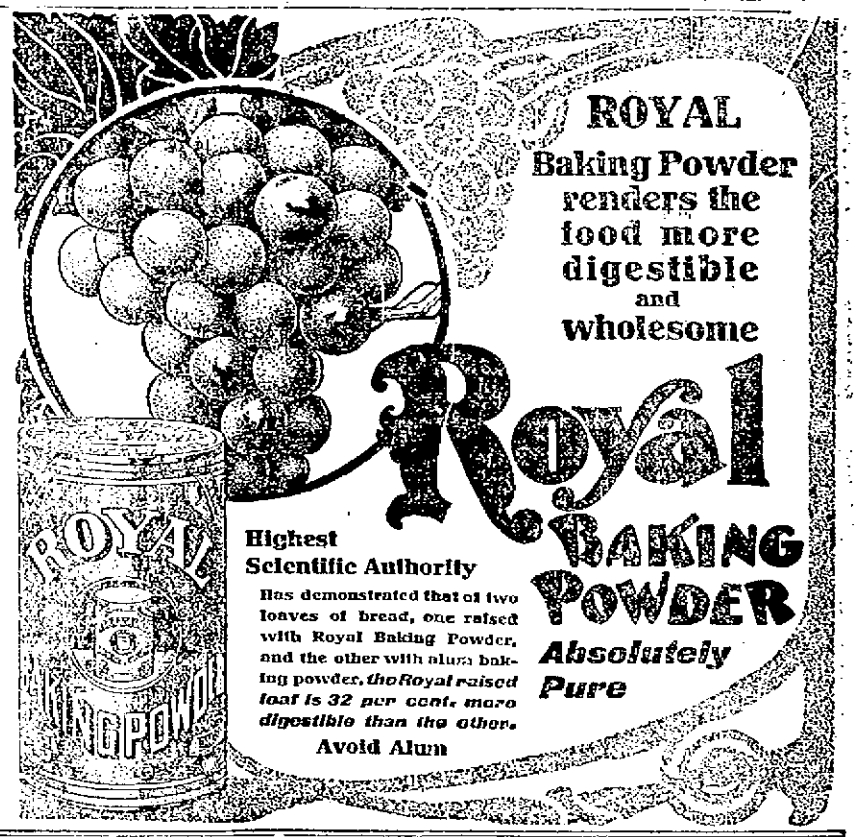
Deputy State Fire Marshal Ed Donovan is confined to his home at Waverly with an ulcerated tooth.

Rev. Amos Webb Dead.

Rev. Amos Webb, aged 81, for 50 years a Baptist minister, is dead at his home Kitts Hill, Lawrence county, of pneumonia.

Geraldine Sinks.

The Big Sandy steamer Geraldine sunk Tuesday near Louisa, a snag tearing a great hole in her bottom.



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HENRY WANTS A DIVORCE

Henry Adams, the well known head porter at the Washington hotel, Wednesday, informed the Times of his intention to bring suit for divorce against his wife, Amelia.

Henry recently made overtures to his wife for a reconciliation but her reply was the wholesale smashing of their furniture, he said. She had come here recently from Blairsville, Pa., after a long absence to attend the funeral of her father, Abner Bird. The couple have no children and have had several disagreements in recent years.

Caused a Stir.

Police Captain Albrecht created quite a stir at the Opera House Tuesday night when he walked down an aisle during the performance and picked up an overcoat that was hanging on a seat and walked out. Many people who witnessed the incident thought the officer had located a stolen overcoat, but it developed that the officer had merely gone down and gotten the coat to oblige a modest citizen who had walked out and forgotten it.

New hosiery at Haas'.

Goes On Farm.

Dave Cordell has given up a position as N. & W. baggage deliveryman to take charge of Orla Pack's farm on the West Side. It is the old William Appleton place consisting of 45 acres. Mr. Appleton bought the old Turner place.

Real Estate Deal.

Dr. Arthur T. McCloud has purchased the Tolman property on Robinson avenue. Evans & Jordan acted as agents in the deal.

Charles Hanson, a B. & O. S. W. main line engineer, is visiting his brother, Will Henson of West Second street.

Mike Dressler has taken a position at Joe Barney's barber shop in East Portsmouth.

Neville Cameron, young wanderer who drifted into Portsmouth Tuesday night, has succeeded in securing employment as porter at the Biggs house.

The infant child of Charles Belfry is sick with the measles.

The C. & O. handled the Land of Nod company out for Huntington and also brought in the Gentleman from Mississippi company from Frankfort, Ky.

Getting An Inventory.

Judge Harry Ball is busy at work preparing an inventory of the Ralph Bendure stock and hopes to file same within a day or two.

Disease Germs

Cannot harm healthy human bodies. We cannot have healthy bodies unless we have pure blood, —the kind of blood that Hood's Sarsaparilla makes.

This great medicine has an unequalled, unapproached record for purifying and enriching the blood.

It cures scrofula, eczema, eruptions, catarrh, rheumatism, anemia, nervousness, that tired feeling, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, general debility, and builds up the whole system.

Get it today in the usual liquid form or in chocolated tablets form called Sarsatabs.

Mrs. Zeigler Much Worse

Mrs. E. J. Zeigler, of West Second street, who recently had an injured limb amputated, took a turn for the worse Monday and for 48 hours her life was despaired of. She has since rallied and prospects for her recovery once again are bright.

Get Ready to Move.

The Royal Savings & Loan Co. has commenced tearing up preparatory to occupying its new quarters on Gallia street.

Mrs. John Childs, whose three children were taken to the Children's Home Tuesday, will probably be given a position at the city hospital.

Haas for good clothes.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

Pazo Ointment is guaranteed to cure any case of itching, blind, bleeding or protruding piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

At The Piano.

Miss Helen Thompson of John street is officiating at the piano at the Pastime theater in the absence of Mr. Purslow who is ill.

Is Named as Guardian

Attorney Joseph T. Mickleth-wait was Wednesday appointed by probate court guardian of John Hoffer of Bayden. The application for a guardian was made by Mrs. Hoffer, charging him with being an improvedent person and Mr. Hoffer is 69 years of age, and owns a 50 acre farm and draws a pension of $100 per month, which Mrs. Hoffer charges him of spending for liquor.

Clean Streets.

City officials have a force at work cleaning New Seventh and lower Second streets and will also sweep Front street this week. Tracy Park is being given a general cleaning.

Both Improving.

It was reported at Hempstead hospital Wednesday that Commodore Charles White, injured in an auto accident, was now better.

Will Ratliff, the N. & W. fireman, who had his skull fractured two weeks ago, is also improving.

Kinney Yates of No. 65 East Eighth street, was admitted as a patient Tuesday.

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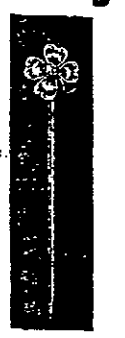

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Otto Zœllner & Bro.
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The New York Sun On Wade H. Ellis

New York, Mar. 9.—The Sun last night, under the caption "Fountain Pen Ellis," says the following editorially:

"The solution of the nice problem as to who selected Mr. Wade H. Ellis for dictator of Republican destinies in Ohio seems fairly reached. It was Mr. Wade H. Ellis himself, who, desiring only the best for his party and seeking but to confide its fortunes to the most efficient hands, naturally, though reluctantly, bit upon himself.

"Can it be, however, that Mr. Ellis has herein made a blunder? Led on by his enthusiastic desire to give only the noblest and wisest leadership to his party, was he mistaken in his estimate of his appointee's attainments?

"We regretfully express the opinion that he was. To our view this statesman has made the easy error of ascribing to himself the thought, imagination and potency of his master.

"We refer, of course, to the matter of the Republican national platform in the year 1908. Mr. Ellis, to express the matter plainly, was the prolonged hand, the tool of the mighty craftsman who drafted this immortal document. And blithely putting down the orders from above he came to feel the grip of great things in his soul and himself to pant the rarified air of genius.

"The chief joke in the present situation is doubtless on Mr. Ellis. But as he will never see it we pass to the very excellent joke on the state of Ohio. The Republicans thereof, being beset by revelations of sin and corruption, and opposed by an able Democrat, were in the direst need of a powerful disinfectant, of a sturdy tonic and of able advice. And they received a fountain pen!"

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY.—ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.
A. W. GLEASON,
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Cook's bright six-year-old son, Master Anderson Cook, who continues alarmingly ill with measles, was reported as slightly better Wednesday. During the past few days he has been at the point of death several times on account of hemorrhages of head and bowels.

LAST HALF AT ORPHEUM

Of the show that will be at the Orpheum the last half of the week, the Huntington Advertiser says:

Four acts, none of which came heralded as great, but all of which possesses strong merits, make up a bill at the Hippidrome for the first half of the week that would be hard to better.

Jima Almon, the impersonator, singer and dancer, is undoubtedly a headliner in the art of imitating the fairer sex. No one could tell with any degree of certainty that Jima was not the dainty and altogether charming soubrette he pretended to be until by his own act he chose to give enlightenment on this point. He received half a dozen curtain calls.

O'Dell and Gilmore, presenting "Sweet Charity," a satirical romance of the Gotham flatiron, gave a very creditable performance of an original sketch.

Davis Brothers, the musicians, introduce many popular instruments and play them in a highly artistic manner. They excel in bell ringing. This act alone affords a good show for the music lover.

Plan Great Jubilee

A big jubilee meeting will be given at the United Brethren church Thursday evening, when an informal and interesting program will be rendered, consisting of German songs, toasts and speeches of various kinds, after which ice cream and cake will be served. All members of the Sunday school and church and friends are urgently requested to attend. It is free to all and will be under the direction of Rev. Howard.

A large frame building at Kenova owned by the Kenova-Huntington Land Co., was burned on Tuesday.

New O. H. & D. Depot.

The C. H. & D. railroad has decided to build a new freight depot on Paint street, Chillicothe, opposite its present passenger station.

THE PEOPLE ARE AROUSED

They No Longer Doubt.—Testimonials Are Useless.

The Root Juice people came here to prove reports that were circulating over the country in relation to the many remarkable cures the great remedy was making. Hundreds of people that heard of the remedy crowded into the drug store and bought some of it, and after taking it a short while many returned for more and urged their friends to try it. Many local testimonials were published in this paper until it became useless, as so many of this city know of many cures it has made and is making. It has certainly proved to be the greatest remedy known for the stomach, liver, kidneys and blood. It is remarkable the way it heals the stomach and bowels and gives strength to the liver and kidneys. Out of all of the hundreds that gave this remedy a fair trial at this point, not a single one has been heard to condemn it, but on the contrary, many who suffered for years with indigestion, chronic constipation, rheumatism, and various kidney complaints, after taking a few bottles of the Juice, claim a positive cure. So the great remedy does not merely patch. IT CURES. Root Juice is sold for $1 a bottle, six bottles for $5, at Wurster Bros', drug store.

Sandles Says He Won't Be the Goat

Columbus, O., Mar. 9.—The probing of the Williams food committee into the conduct of the department of agriculture has brought the wrath of A. P. Sandles, secretary of the board, to the surface. Following the grilling he got Monday, Sandles said:

"I shall make a written demand upon the Williams committee that it go into the state board of agriculture and conduct an examination that will show the workings of the office since 1900. The Republicans had control of the department for 20 years and I've had charge of it about a year. I shall insist that the investigation go back over a period of 10 years, and if conditions today are not found better than they were for a decade preceding then I'll resign the office. It looks as though the committee wants to make the goat of me, but I won't stand for it."

FRED HUNTER WON'T SIGN

Fred Hunter, Chillicothe ball player, is in the city visiting his friends. He was sold by Sioux City of the Western association to Kansas City of the A. A. His contract was received some time ago, but Hunter has steadfastly refused to sign it at the figures offered. He states that he will not play ball this season unless Tebeau comes across with the right financial inducement. And Hunter will stick to his word, as is shown by his stand with the Baltimore club. He is in good shape and ready to break into the game at a moment's notice.

To Buy Asteroid.

The Asteroid Cafe which was managed by Tom Williams before his death, is to pass into new hands. J. E. Faulkner is negotiating for the purchase of the interests of Williams and Ross, and will take over the entire management of the place. Mr. Faulkner stated to The Times that he would make some repairs and conduct a clean, up-to-date restaurant.

William Sesching, who is the men's tailor for Anderson Bros., returned to Cincinnati Wednesday after a short business trip to this city.

To New York City.

Albert Reitz, left Wednesday for New York city in the interest of Reitz Bros.

RECTOR HERRON IS TO REMAIN

In his letter to the Vestry, which was opened at a meeting of that body Tuesday night, the Rev. J. D. Herron states that he will recall his resignation and continue on as rector of All Saints church.

Rev. Herron is at present sojourning at Daytonia, Fla., for his health but is expected home next week in time to conduct services on Palm Sunday, March 20.

Why Not Try Portsmouth?

Charles Cutsell, owning a farm in Pike county and with a bank account, was in Chillicothe Tuesday hunting for a girl willing to become Mrs. Cutsell. He did not find one. Charles should come to Portsmouth and try his luck.

Huntington Votes May 3rd

On May 3rd Huntington will vote on issuing $50,000 school bonds, $300,000 street improvement bonds, and $80,000 city building bonds.

Gone After Requisition

Police headquarters received a letter Wednesday from Huntington authorities stating that an officer had been sent to Columbus and would probably be here Friday after Jerry Combs, the aged man who has been locked up here nearly two weeks and wanted there on a felony charge.

In The Hospital.

Mrs. Mayme Miller of East Tenth street, was re-admitted to the Hempstead hospital Wednesday, having left the hospital on Feb. 10th.

A BUSY DOCTOR
Is often delayed. Keep a bottle of GOWAN'S PREPARATION in the home and be prepared for pneumonia, croup, colds, coughs, grippe, pains and soreness in lungs and throat. External and gives quick relief. All druggists. $1.00, 50c, 25c.

MERGER BILL WAS PASSED BY HOUSE

Columbus, O., Mar. 9.—Amid tense and breathless excitement and amid a silence that was almost painful as the clerks checked the roll of members, the telephone merger bill was last night passed by the house of representatives by exactly the constitutional majority required.

From a test vote taken during the debate it was made clear that the fight of the public service corporations against any regulation of their issues of stocks and bonds by the state has been successful.

Only 50 votes could be mustered for an amendment carrying this provision into the pending bill. This seems to foredoom the Woods public utilities commission bill, which is one of the special orders for the consideration of the house next week. As the scheme of that measure is built around this control of the emissions of stock, it follows that the house will not adopt it.

The bill allows telephone companies to merge. The amendment defeated prevented any watering of stock. Representative Dever, of Portsmouth voted for the amendment and also voted against the bill when it came up for passage.

C. & O. to Try New Engines

The Chesapeake and Ohio railroad is planning to install in its service large freight engines to take the place of the double-headers now used on the road. The new engines will be of the type on the Northern Pacific and the Virginian railways, about 80 feet long and with eight big drivers on each side. The engineer's cab is in front of the engine and each engine requires two firemen. An experiment will be made with one of the big type of engines in a few days.

True Blue Gas Mantles
Takes an earthquake to break them

GOOD CITIZEN PASSES AWAY

The grim reaper claimed a good citizen and well-to-do farmer Tuesday night at 8 o'clock, when Frederick Schlock passed away to his last reward at his home, near Junior Furnace, Green township.

He had been sick for the past seven months and his death was due to cancer of the stomach.

Mr. Schlock was a native of Prussia, having been born in that country in 1850. At the age of 30 he came to America and settled at Pine Grove Furnace, and 11 years ago bought a farm at Junior Furnace and managed through his thrift and industry to accumulate considerable property. He was an honorable, upright man, well liked and respected by all who knew him and his death is universally regretted and has cast a gloom in the community where he lived.

Besides his faithful wife, Augusta, three children, Fred, at home, Mrs. William Roth, of Ironton, and Mrs. Michael Mucha, of Haverhill, survive.

Funeral services at the Lutheran church Thursday, and will be conducted by Rev. Leiger. Burial will follow in the cemetery nearby.

CONFER ABOUT WAGE SCALE

Bluefield, W. Va., March 9.—It is understood that a committee of the Order of Railway Telegraphers for the Norfolk & Western system will meet the Norfolk & Western officials in Roanoke for the purpose of renewing their agreement and wage schedule. It is said an increase in wages of about ten per cent, will be asked for, and, in view of the fact that the Baltimore and Ohio and the Chesapeake and Ohio, competitive roads have recently given their telegraphers an increase, it is expected that the Norfolk & Western will follow suit. General Superintendent George P. Johnson of the western division, left Monday night for Roanoke to take part in the conference.

To Repair The Driveways

Assistant Service Director Geo. Schneider has been asked by the council to give his views on the best plan to repair the flood wall driveways.

Mr. Schneider will recommend various ways among which will be paving, which no doubt will be cheaper and better in the long run.

A Stuffed Owl.

Will Schilling has a fine specimen of a stuffed owl mounted on a branch which he has placed in his Smoke House. The owl is one that was recently caught by Mr. Schilling.

S.S.S.
BEST SPRING TONIC

Every one should take a tonic in the Spring; our systems require it. The change in the seasons produces a like change in our bodies, and more is required of the blood, from which source we receive physical nourishment and strength, at this particular time than at any other.

Almost every one feels bad in the Spring. Some have no particular sickness, but are debilitated, run-down and weak, and their systems are in a general state of disorder. This deranged condition of the health is due to weak, anaemic blood; the circulation is infected with impurities which have diminished its natural nourishing powers, and the body is suffering from deficient blood nutriment. The refuse and impurities which naturally accumulate in our systems are not properly expelled in Winter, because those members whose duty it is to perform this work of drainage do not receive sufficient stimulation from outdoor exercise, and therefore grow dull and sluggish in their action; nor is the skin as active in eliminating waste maters in cold weather because the pores are not so open as in warm seasons.

These Winter accumulations pollute the blood and largely destroy its nutritive qualities, and when Spring comes, and everything takes on new life, and we change our method of living, the circulation is so weakened that it is unable to supply the increased demands of the system. Then we suffer from weakness, nervousness, loss of appetite, lassitude, etc. There is a constant worn-out feeling, sleep is not refreshing, and we do not feel able to perform the ordinary duties of daily life. This disordered condition demands the use of a tonic, and it should be one which has the additional qualities of a first class blood purifier, for to restore health and strength the blood must be pure.

The healthful botanical ingredients of which S. S. S. is composed, and the method of combining and preparing them so that they build up and strengthen every portion of the body, make it the best of all Spring tonics. S. S. S. is Nature's medicine, free from strong mineral mixtures and made entirely of the healing, cleansing juices and extracts of roots, herbs and barks; a safe and pleasant tonic for persons of any age.

S. S. S. is not only the best Spring tonic, but its ability and worth as a genuine blood purifier is universally recognized. It builds up the depleted system in the true way, by purifying the blood and supplying an increased amount of nourishment to every portion of the body. S. S. S. removes all accumulations from the circulation, enriches and purifies the blood and overcomes the unpleasant physical ailments that always come with Spring. It rids the body of that tired feeling, improves the appetite, reinvigorates every fibre and tissue of the body, and imparts healthful energy to all who are run-down. The body cannot be strong and well if the blood is weak or impure, and no tonic should be used which does not thoroughly cleanse the circulation. If you select S. S. S. as your tonic this Spring you will experience better results and more vigorous health than ever before, because it will make your blood "just right." Insist on getting S. S. S., there is no other "just as good."

PRETTY GOOD EVIDENCE.
I have used S. S. S. and found it to be an excellent blood purifier and tonic. My blood was weak and impure, and as a result my system became very much run down and debilitated. I lost twenty or more pounds in weight, had no appetite and was in bad shape. Seeing S. S. S. advertised I began its use, and am well pleased with the results after using it for some little while. From 139 pounds to 165 is pretty good evidence of merit on the part of S. S. S., and as to my appetite, it is superb. My system and general health have been wonderfully built up, and I do not hesitate to give S. S. S. the credit for it. H. MARTIN.
50 Second St., Warren, O.

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"EQUITY" Gas Ranges can be had of any of the following dealers:

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A new assortment in all the latest combinations is here to choose from. Price $1.00 yard. 24 in.

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With bands and edges to match an assortment that is larger than ever and all are the very best, and nobbiest patterns of the season. Prices 35c to $3.00 yard.

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From the narrowest to the widest widths you can find all the best patterns made in this stock at this little price.

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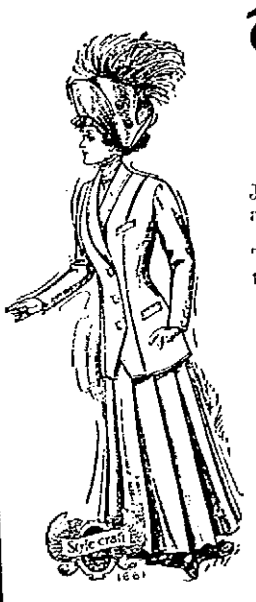

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We will be glad to have you call and look at them. They surely are well calculated to please the eye and taste of every woman.

The Qualities Are High But the Prices Are Low

The new styles can not help but please you, so come in, bring your friends with you and pass your opinion on them.

See our line of Men's, Youths' and Children's Clothing.

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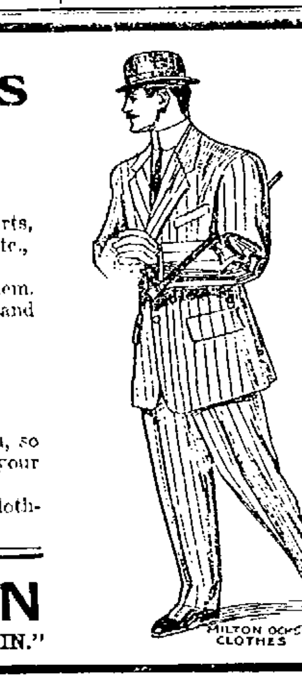

MR. CLARK'S MOTHER DIED ON WEDNESDAY

Word was received here Wednesday afternoon of the death at Newcastle, Pa., of Mrs. Rebecca McCune Clark, the venerable mother of Philo S. Clark, of this city.

Mrs. Clark, who was past 90 years of age, had been failing for some time. A week ago she took a sudden turn for the worse and Mr. Clark, who, with his wife, had been sojourning at Pinehurst, N. C., hastened to her bedside. She was the wife of Thomas N. Clark and the mother of eight children.

Portsmouth friends of Mr. Clark will extend to him their sympathy in his bereavement.

Baldwin Pianos

Ellington, Hamilton and Player Pianos, 88 West Second.

Home Phones—Store, B-1191; Residence X-302.

Ruark Home Was Burned

Word reached here of the complete destruction by fire of the home of William Ruark, father of the well known Ruark brothers of this city, at Vanceburg, Ky., early Wednesday morning. All of Mr. Ruark's personal effects went up in the flames, which burst out shortly after he had left home to take up his day's work as head miller at Hiner & Gardner's mill. It is thought the fire was caused by a defective flue. The house was a one story and a-half frame structure.

Goes South For his Health

On the advise of his physician to seek a different climate for the benefit of his health, Abram McNamara, a Portsmouth young man who has tuberculosis, left for Hendersonville, North Carolina, Tuesday accompanied by his cousin, Irvin Westlake, and Thomas Hartman, of Lucasville. Mr. Hartman will return soon as he succeeds in getting the young man located, while Westlake will remain there several days.

The unfortunate young man is a minor, and a grandson of Abram McNamara, Sr., of Waller street. He came in possession of quite a lot of property recently and Joseph Brant, of Lucasville, is his guardian.

C. A. Wheeler, who recently returned from the northwest, is expected back from Newark tonight. Shortly may remain here and take a position as barber at F. N. Patterson's shop on Market street.

August Maier took his first stroll away from home Tuesday since his stroke of paralysis some months ago. He visited the river front and was kept busy greeting old friends.

William Soper, the veteran Court street candy manufacturer, has fully recovered from his illness. His wife, who, too, was very ill, is slowly improving.

Charles Hudson, a well known East Front street teamster, is out again after a month's illness with grip.

Miss Jennie Brock of East Front street, is ill with measles.

TYGART FARMER HURT AT THE STEEL CO. PLANT

Nathaniel Warner, an aged Tygart, Ky., man, came near bleeding to death folloing an accident at the Portsmouth Steel Company's plant Wednesday morning.

Warner was working with a "stocking" gang assorting scrap iron when a three-cornered piece flew up and caught him on the left arm. The leaders of his wrist were severed causing a ghastly looking wound. Fellow workmen rushed to his assistance and with difficulty stopped the flow of blood. After having the arm bandaged Warner insisted upon crossing the river to his home refusing to await the arrival of a physician.

Mr. Barnes In Town Today

H. C. Barnes was in Portsmouth Wednesday on a business trip, returning to Waverly Wednesday afternoon. He declined to discuss the report that he was going to be a candidate for representative from Pike county.

Money to Loan on Real Estate. The Portsmouth Savings & Loan Co., Opera House Block 7-3eod

Boy Very Sick.

Harry, the bright little son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mitchell, is very sick with bowel trouble and is reported to be in a critical condition.

To Paper City Building.

Albert Reiniger has the contract of repapering the entire city building and Wednesday began work in the council chamber.

Bothered By Rats

The Portsmouth Shoe company is experiencing all sorts of annoyance and trouble just now on account of the rats infesting the factory building.

Parts of the plant are fairly overrun with the rodents, some of which are the size of full grown cats. They are getting bolder every day until now during nights they climb the racks and devour the shoes.

The high water has increased their number materially and the company officials are now busy trying to devise some good plan of ridding themselves of the unwelcome visitors. The other West End factories have had more or less similar trouble.

Is Very Low.

The condition of "Grandma" Pressler, who has been critically ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Schissler, 61 East Fourth street, for several days is gradually growing worse and Wednesday afternoon it was thought the end was near.

She is past 90 years of age and one of the oldest residents of Portsmouth.

Takes Old Job.

Tom McKinney, who recently resigned as marshal of New Boston, is back at his old job at the Portsmouth steel plant.

Mr. Baker Home.

L. W. Baker has returned from a two weeks' stay at Martinsville, Ind., feeling much improved from his stay there.

Frowine's Present.

Henry Frowine, manager of the Play House, Tuesday received by express a fine present in the way of a dandy bowling ball through the generosity of Billy Byron, well known representative of the Balke-Callender Co.

Hoof Troubles

trouble no more when Continental Ointment is given a chance. Try it. Apply once or twice a day and you'll need no doctor for any injury or irritation anywhere. Quickly relieves and heals.

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The Marvelous Salve and Perfect Poultice for Horses and Humans

Nothing better for skin and flesh troubles of man, woman, or child.

Large box 25c. Other sizes for 40c. 75c, $3 and $3.30.

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A DOZEN FAMILIES CURED OF ITCH BY CUTICURA

Showed No Marks but Whole Body Itched Like a Million Mosquito-Bites—Sleep Out of the Question and Life Became an Inferno.

DOCTORS AND DRUGGIST TREATED THEM IN VAIN

"The Cuticura Remedies are the best in the world, as I know from experience. In Dowlais, South Wales, about fifteen years ago, families were stricken wholesale by a disease known as the itch. Believe me, it is the most terrible disease of its kind that I know of, as it itches all through your body and makes your life an inferno. Sleep is out of the question and you feel as if a million mosquitoes were attacking you at the same time. Yet you could see nothing on the skin. But the itch was there all right and I sincerely trust that I shall never get it. I knew a dozen families that were so affected. The male members and myself belonged to the same society and, as steward, it was my duty to visit the sick members once a week for sick benefit until they were declared off. That is how I became so familiar with the itch.

"The doctors did their best but their remedies were of no avail whatever. Then the families tried a druggist who was noted far and wide for his remarkable cures. People came to him from all parts of the country for treatment but his medicine made matters still worse, as a last resort they were advised by a friend to use the Cuticura Remedies. I am glad to tell you that after a few days' treatment with Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Resolvent, the effect was wonderful and the result was a perfect cure in all cases.

"I may add that my three brothers, three sisters, myself and all our families have been users of the Cuticura Remedies for fifteen or twenty years. Thomas Hugh, 1050 West Huron St., Chicago, Ill., June 28, 1909."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.) (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Depots: London, 27, Charterhouse Sq.; Paris, 10, Rue de la Chaussee d'Antin; U. S. A., Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., 135 Columbus Ave., Boston, Mass. Mailed free, 32-page Cuticura Book, an authority on the Care and Treatment of Skin and Hair.

ARE TO LEAVE PORTSMOUTH

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Bendure who have been residing on West Sixth street in a house owned by Mrs. H. S. Grimes, are packing their household goods and expect to leave the city at once. Asked as to where they expected to locate, Mr. Bendure said they were going from here to Columbus. Further than this he did not care to discuss his plans.

The Bendure's came here several years ago from Springfield and Mr. Bendure has been engaged in the dry goods business.

Ford Trial To Be Set

Cincinnati, March 9.—It is probable that the second trial of Mrs. Jeanette Stewart-Ford, on the charge of blackmailing Charles L. Warriner, defaulting treasurer of the Big Four railroad, will be set for trial within the next three weeks. Prosecutor Hunt stated several days ago that after the Bauer trial minor cases would be taken up for several weeks, in order to allow of a slight rest, and then the Ford case will again be taken up.

BIG FIRE AT HAMILTON, O.

Hamilton, O., March 9.—Fire that started in the Coburn photograph gallery in the third floor of the First National bank building last night threatened the business district, but was controlled by the fire department after causing $10,000 loss. The attic was gutted and one-third of the roof destroyed and the entire building flooded. The First National bank was the heaviest loser.

WAS ONCE ENGINEER ON NORFOLK & WESTERN

E. L. Johnson, a railroad engineer was buried in Columbus this afternoon. Mr. Johnson was 73 years old. For 39 years he had been a resident of Columbus. His railroad service included running of the first Panhandle freight trains out of this city, also the running of a passenger train and a construction over the B. and O. S. W. He also drove an engine on the N. & W. His last railway service was at the Panhandle shops. He lived at 1311 Summit street.

Mr. Harcha Here.

Postmaster John Harcha of Buena Vista, was a business visitor here Wednesday John declined to discuss politics or reports of his own aspirations. He has embarked in the stone business and declared prospects bright for him operating the old Caden mill permanently.

BOY THIEVES ARRESTED

Ironton, O., March 9.—Joe Ferguson aged 19 and Ralph Amos, aged 17, were arrested Tuesday for stealing a gold watch valued at $35 and belonging to Amos' brother-in-law, Joseph Garthee, a railroad man.

According to young Amos' confession, he and Ferguson planned the theft last Tuesday and he then went over to the Amos home on Eighth and Buckhorn near where Ferguson also resided, and stole the watch from the mantle in the sitting room. Amos then rejoined Ferguson and the two caught a freight train and went to Portsmouth and then to Circleville, where Ferguson sold the watch to a jeweler, who keeps a store "eight blocks from the station and one block down" for $15.

Mrs. T. Winkler Wins Her Case

The Ohio Supreme Court, Tuesday handed down its decision in the case of Mrs. Thomas Winkler, vs. The Hanging Rock Iron Company for damages resulting from Mr. Winkler's death. The decision of the court is that the company must pay Mrs. Winkler $2,600 because of the death of her husband, who was killed at the plant of The Hanging Rock Iron Company on April 26th, 1906, by a buggy of hot iron overturning on him.

Died At Hamden.

Herman Monahan, a well-known B. & O. S.-W. way freight fireman, died at his home in Hamden on Tuesday evening after months of suffering with bone tuberculosis. He was 30 years of age and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Virgil Slavins-Monahan and two children. He was a son of the late Dr. S. W. Monahan and popular with all fellow employees.

Deckhand Drowned

Cincinnati, March 9.—Charles Hamilton, 20, 318 East Front street, deckhand, stood on the wharfboat at the foot of Main street Tuesday afternoon to catch a line from the steamer Tacoma, which was coming to dock. The line fell a bit short, and Hamilton reached too far for it. He fell into the swollen river and disappeared from sight almost instantly. His body was not recovered.

He Hates to Let Loose

Ironton, O., March 9.—As a result of the recent changes at the water works, ex-Superintendent and Chief Engineer F. E. Brammer has filed charges with the Stationary Engineers Association against Sylvester Stitts, who succeeded him as chief engineer alleging that Stitts had exerted his influence in having fellow members of the association removed from their jobs.

Brammer held the job 36 years and hates to let loose.

C. A. Fritz, the proprietor of the Factory drug store, returned Wednesday from Wheelersburg, where he has been visiting his parents.

Lump In Your Stomach

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will dissolve it at once.

Enjoy every meal. Eat your food with zest. Don't kill your stomach. Keep it alive and properly working.

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MRS. HINKLE HAS GONE TO JOIN HER HUSBAND

True to her promise made to Mayor Searcy a few days ago, Mrs. Myrtle Miller-Hinkle, dismissed on a loitering charge, left Wednesday for Cincinnati to join her husband, Charles Hinkle. The latter recently wrote to her urging her to live with him again. The young couple married several years ago but have been separated the greater part of the time.

Of Course We Figure In It

It develops that the Willow Grove corn field on which the fine steamer Virginia was wrecked a few days ago is owned by the husband of a well known former Portsmouth woman.

The field is part of a 309 acre farm owned by W. A. Williamson, whose wife Mrs. Addie Williamson is a sister of Capt. Thomas Rousch, the popular pilot on the packet Greyhound. Mrs. Williamson is a native of this city and received her early education in the Portsmouth public schools.

Mrs. A. Max Loses Suit

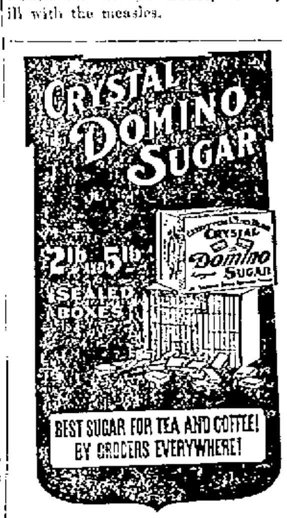
Columbus, O., March 9.—The Supreme court decided that Rachel Max, of Lawrence county, loses her suit for $1,000 on the life of her husband Abe Max in the New York Life Insurance Company for failure to pay premiums.

Abe Max formerly lived in Portsmouth, going from here to Ironton. He committed suicide on a Norfolk & Western train.

Say Company Is Good One

The Irontonian says "A Gentleman From Mississippi," which is at the Grand tonight, and which played Ironton Tuesday night, is a strong, clean comedy of exceptional merit. The company is given a great boost.

Harold Bauer, who is a son of Contractor George Bauer, is very ill with the measles.



It Did'nt Pay

Two ladies called at a certain music dealers store in this city recently to see the Hasbrouck Pianos which he was advertising at the ridiculous price of $125.00 in the columns of this paper, together with a list of other pianos which there were NO prices given, under the heading of PIANO CLEARANCE SALE, for the next three days, etc. (This add first appeared Feb. 23rd.) When asked to see a Hasbrouck Piano, the dealer replied: "Am just out, just sold the last one a short time ago." When asked to whom he had sold a Hasbrouck Piano, the dealer replied that he did not care to reveal the names. We claim this dealer did not have a Hasbrouck Piano when he advertised same and could not get one from the factory; but was using this advertisement as a bait to get people to his store. The sale of the Hasbrouck Pianos for the state of Ohio is controlled exclusively by The Harps-Sprinkle Music Co., and this certain dealer could not get a new Hasbrouck piano unless he paid the regular retail price through The Harps-Sprinkle Co.

The wholesale cost of the Hasbrouck pianos compared with the Ebersole pianos are as follows: the small size Ebersole costs $20.00 more than the small size Hasbrouck, and the best Ebersole made costs but $20.00 more than the best Hasbrouck.

Ebersole pianos retail from $325.00 to $450.00.

The Harps-Sprinkle Music Co., sold the two ladies a fine piano for cash.

MORAL

Does it pay to mislead customers to your store?

The ladies names will be given on request at The Harps-Sprinkle Co. store, Second and Chillicothe streets.

Seeds!

Flower and Garden

Now is the time to purchase your seeds and begin planting. We have the largest assortment that we have ever had and we guarantee them all fresh and the very best seed.

We have been handling seeds for twelve years and have had hardly any complaint as to the merits of our seeds.

We buy the best. Our prices are reasonable. Try them.

Wurster Bros.

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R. P. Seiler's Piano Clearing Sale!

Goes merrily on. Seiler sells Pianos while the other fellow knocks.

4 Ebersoles,
3 Starrs,
1 Haines Bros.,
2 Armstrong's,
1 King.

Pianos Sold

last week. Names of purchasers will be cheerfully furnished as references to any one interested in the purchase of a piano, but not to spies sent by the other fellow. Here are a few more bargains before this sale closes.

Ebersole Pianos,
Marshall & Wendall Pianos,
Cameron Piano,
H. P. Nelson Pianos,
Merrill Pianos,
Mason Pianos,
Clinton Pianos,
Story & Clark Pianos,
Decker Bros., Pianos,
King Pianos,
Hasbrouck Pianos $125.00.

NOTICE!

When I advertise a Piano I have it to sell and any one trying to mislead the public by stating otherwise is simply juggling with the truth and cannot be trusted. Come in and examine my stock and you will find everything as represented and that the old Reliable Seiler can save you from $100.00 to $150.00 on any Piano you may select.

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We want you to see the great change you will hardly know the place, always improving for the benefit of our customers. You will find our establishment light and airy. No crowding. Plenty of room and plenty of new Easter Suits. In fact the biggest selection we have ever had and that is saying something.

Special Easter Suit Sale!

The very best time to choose. Stock is now complete. Every shade and weave imaginable and at very low prices. We offer choice of over a hundred Suits, made of all wool materials. Satin lined Jackets with the new pleated Skirts at $15.00. We ask you to compare them with anything you will see elsewhere at $20.00.

Something New In Skirts

A reversible Skirt can be worn on either side. Also something new in Voile made in the wide Vale weave. Different from anything you have ever seen. Come and see the hit of the season. Our new Sunburst Skirt in all colors at $5.00 and $7.50. Come in and let us show you through.

The Atlas Trading Co.

603 Chillicothe St.

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SHEPHERD'S PLAID SUIT

PHOTO BY JOLL FELLR

This sehpherd plaid coat and skirt suit trimmed with black satin ribbon is one of the latest 1910 styles. The ribbon decoration is especially effective and gives the costume distinction that makes it unusual.

Mrs. Emmett McKeown and sister, Miss Claire Simmons, of Ironton, were here Tuesday to see their sick uncle, Mr. W. V. Simmons, of West Sixth street.

The Hamilton Whist club will hold the next meeting at the home of Mrs. J. W. Bannon.

Mrs. Bruce Houbler and children, Emerson and Clay Herms, are visiting Mrs. H. D. Craig, of Garrison, Kentucky.

Mrs. Guy Thompson will be host at this week's meeting of the Young Women's Sewing club.

Mrs. Henry McCoy and baby are visiting her mother, Mrs. Charles Poughy, of Ada.

Miss Katharine Dawson has resumed her studies at the Schuster School of Expression, Walnut Hills.

Mrs. Marvin Clark's entertainment of the Saturday Sewing club has been deferred on account of the illness of her son, Howard, a victim of the measles.

Mrs. R. D. York and her children Albert and Ruth have returned from Cincinnati where they visited her mother and sister Mrs. A. C. Thompson and Miss Ruth Thompson.

Charles Dykeman, Jr., is the name of the baby born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dykeman, who reside at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mathiott, of Campbell avenue.

Thursday afternoon, not Wednesday, is the date of the First Presbyterian Young Women's Kensington benefit, at the home of Mrs. E. T. Reed, of No. 36 West Seventh, with Miss Lizzie Neill as assistant hostess.

Bigelow W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Jesse Graham Tuesday afternoon with about fifty in attendance. The devotionals, led by Mrs. Frank Hudson, preceded the consideration of the study theme—"The Gospel in Western South America"—Chapter V. The remainder of the program was as follows:

Vocal solo—Mrs. P. E. Selby.

Recitations, "The Sewing Society" and "Making Faces"—Jennie Clare.

Vocal solo—Miss Grace Hudson.

Mystery box—In charge of Mrs. P. E. Selby.

Refreshments preceded adjournment.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rardin's visitors, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Goddard have returned home to Wellston.

Times Daily Recipes

Corn Meal Bread.

There are a number of different ways of making corn bread so I will give you several recipes, and you can take which you like best. A delicate loaf is made in this way. Sift together one cupful each yellow corn meal and white flour. Beat the yolks of two eggs into a pint of milk and add to them a tablespoonful of melted butter. Add to the flour a level teaspoonful baking powder and one half teaspoonful salt. Mix to a smooth batter with the other ingredients, then add the whites of the eggs beaten to a stiff froth. Pour into a small square baking pan that has been well greased. The batter should be about two inches thick. Lastly pour into the middle one cupful sweet milk. Do not stir, but place gently in the oven and bake forty minutes. Take out, cut in squares and serve at once. The center will be custard like in appearance.

Home Economic Cooking School Corn Bread.

This recipe, given by Miss Anne Waldron to her tenement house classes, is always a great favorite with the women. The policy of these classes has been to show the women how to get nourishing foods at slight expense. The recipe for their cornmeal bread is as follows:—Sift together one cupful of yellow meal, one cupful of white flour, three level tablespoonfuls of baking powder, one level teaspoonful of salt and a tablespoonful of sugar. Add one well beaten egg and two cupfuls of milk and water. Beat and pour into a buttered pan. When you wish to bake in a coal or wood stove use the accompanying directions: Start the baking on the bottom of the oven; then, if the top does not brown fast enough, change it to the top. If started on top a crust is liable to form so that it cannot raise and will be raw on the bottom.

Boston Brown Bread.

Mix together two cupfuls of ryemeal and one cupful of corn meal. Add one-third of a cupful of molasses, one teaspoonful of soda dissolved in two tablespoonfuls of water, one pint sour milk and a teaspoonful of salt, and pour into a greased mould. Cover tightly and steam for four hours.

The Clover club met in regular session Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Richard Alger with Miss Ada Moore as assistant host. The program follows the themes being Gound, Goethe, Van Dyck.

Goethe, the Many Sided Genius, Mrs. Frank Moulton.

Dr. Faustus Legends, Miss Ada Moore.

Van Dyck Portraits, Miss Margaret Williams.

Talk, Gounod, Mrs. Richard Alger.

During the usual social hour excellent refreshments were served.

Welcome guests were Mrs. Alger's sister and niece, Mrs. Will Feurt and daughter Katharine of Clay township, and Katharine's governess, Miss Roach of Pennsylvania, Miss Sue Pursell and Miss Edna Marting will be hosts at the next meeting.

All Portsmouth relatives who attended the celebration of the 40th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Mathiott at their ideal farm home, "Fern Hill" near Wheelersburg, report a glorious time including the sumptuous surprise winter picnic dinner, provided by the children of the most worthy couple, who are journeying most happily together the evening of life. The perfectly appointed table included decorations of yellow roses and delicate ferns in the golden gleam of yellow shaded lights. At the festal board brilliant toasts appropriate to the happy occasion were given by two sons, Messrs Merton and Harry Mathiott and an original poem by Mrs. J. E. Shump as follows:

Today we come back to the dear
old home nest,
On so grand an occasion we feel
we are blest.
May we add to your pleasure and
keep memory alive
Of the days that you spent with
your nestlings five
Many returns of this most happy
day,
Forty years married! Indeed we
must say;
You old folks have surely been
harnessed up well
To travel Life's pathway and
peacefully dwell.
Thro' the years of your youth and
to find in old age,
You are young as your children
if the face is a page;
For no one could tell how closely
they'll look.
How many pages you've turned
in life's book.

So here's to your future for your
case we prepare,
Dear father and mother we give
you this chair;
May your future be bright as the
days that have flown,
Is the wish of all your big children grown.
For tho' we have flown from the
dear old roof tree,
You know we're the children of
old that you see;
Grown older perhaps and each
girl and each boy.
But bring reinforcements to add
to your joy.

You see children's children they
are surely a host,
May they say of their parents all
we say in our toast,
Here's to the rocker that stands
by the wall,
Here's to the one we hold dearest
of all.
Here's to the one we wish always
to keep,
The one in which mother rocked
us to sleep;
In the land of our dreams it rocks
gently along,
We are still being soothed by that
lullaby song.
Somewhere in the echoes we catch
the refrain,
And father's voice joins in that
musical strain;
Thro' the storms of life bidding
our souls to be brave.
It is wafted to us on the crest of
each wave.
Dear father and mother with
pride we can tell,
You have been faithful pilots, you
have guided us well."

The gifts included, from the children, a most acceptable handsome leather chair, and other favors for the comfort of the beloved parents. The list of those present follows: Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Reis and children Irene and Louise, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shump and son Edwin, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mathiott and children, Harry and Alice, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Mathiott and children, Walter and Violet, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Snyder and son Wayne, all relatives. Other invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Mathiott, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cluts, Mr. and Mrs. Halsey Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. Thicken, Mrs. Geo. Sperry, Miss Belle Collett and niece Dorothy Collett.

The Times joins in best wishes for "many happy returns of the day."

Miss Roberta Brooks left Wednesday for Ironton to visit Miss Mary Brownstead.

Mrs. Earl Lawson is at home from Middleport.

The Tourists gave a surprise shower of gifts to the son recently born to one of the club members, Mrs. Henry Stabler of East Second. The next regular meeting of the club will be with Miss Leila Brown.

The Holmes club will meet Friday evening at Woman's club parlors.

The Country Club tendered a delightful surprise party to a recently elected member, Mrs. J. T. Carey, who recently returned to this city from Roanoke, Va., and resides at 806 Waller street in the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Blake, who returned to Roanoke, Va., to reside. The pleasures of the party included games and music followed by excellent refreshments of ices, cake, coffee and bon-bons.

Mrs. A. Mayer is visiting relatives in Zanesville.

Miss Barbara Brandel, who recently returned from a visit to New York City, was obliged to go to Hempstead hospital Monday to undergo a slight surgical operation, from the effects of which she is gradually recovering.

A delightful surprise party was given Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Seth of Robinson avenue in honor of their daughter Miss Bessie Seth.

Games and music were the most popular occasions of the evening. Several piano selections were rendered by Misses Anna Hodge, Minnie Manning and Mr. Robert Book. Those present were the Misses Mary Bruce, Anna Hodge, Edith Craigmiles, Minnie Manning, Effie Holt, Amy Wormick, Bessie Seth, Ethel Wales and Lucille Martin, Messrs. Don McGlothlin, Robert Book, Al Conklin, Roy Dillon, Maurice and Earl Cunningham, George Tatman, Harry Willis, Lemon Radclifford and Wm. Frick. Refreshments were served at a rather late hour. The guests departed wishing Miss Bessie many happy returns.

Mrs. Abe Mayer is in Zanesville, O., the guests of friends.

The Young Women's Missionary society of the Second Presbyterian church will hold a meeting at the church parlors on Thursday afternoon, March 10, at half past five o'clock.

The meeting will be followed by a half hour service of song and prayer and lunch will be served at half past five. All the young ladies of the city are urged to attend.

Miss Louise Ressinger of East Eleventh street, entertained the Cheerful Kensington club Tuesday afternoon. Miss Rosa Wendelken, special friend of the hostess and Mrs. Jacob Booker of Cincinnati were guests. As the day was fine all members were present and a most enjoyable time was spent in sewing. Miss Wendelken played several select pieces on the piano. The sewing was followed by an excellent lunch. Mrs. Jacob Lauerman will be hostess next Tuesday afternoon.

Laura Brooker, of Cincinnati, who formerly lived on West Sixth street, is the guest of Mrs. A. C. Frowine, of Monroe street.

Mrs. R. L. Gilbert will be host at next week's meeting of the Tuesday club.

Each member of the Home League club is priviledged to invite two guests to the open meeting Thursday afternoon at Woman's club parlors.

The T. M. S. C.'s which met at the home of Miss Ellen Watkins Monday evening will hold the next meeting March 21st at the home of Miss Laura Barr.

Mrs. Edward Campbell of 636 John street, was host at the March business session of Trinity Women's Home Missionary society.

All Saints Woman's Auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon in regular Lenten sewing bee at the home of Misses Sarah and Margaret Firmstone. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George O. Newman one day next week, all day, with picnic lunch at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Taylor will be hosts at next week's meeting of the Wednesday Evening Bridge club.

Rev. G. L. Davis has returned from South Bend, Ind., where he went in the interest of Foreign Missionary work.

Master Walter Gims is ill with measles.

Manly church Women's Aid society will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. John Stout of High street.

Mrs. George Luther, who recently was subjected to a surgical operation is able to walk about the house with the aid of crutches.

Dr. and Mrs. Oris E. Jackson and baby who have been visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Jackson, have returned home to Columbus.

Mrs. David Bussler of Wheelersburg, who has been ill in bed, is able to be up.

The Scioto Bridge will hold Thursday's meeting at the home of Miss Emma Johnson.

The Ladies Aid Society of Manly church will meet at the home of Mrs. Stout, 1436 Highland avenue Thursday afternoon.

Miss Emma Edwards entertained the Tuesday Evening Sewing club in this week's regular session. Needle work preceded refreshments. Miss Maude Anderson will be host at next Tuesday's meeting.

A number of parties are being planned as ante nuptial favor to one of the club members. Miss Alma Hitchcock, who on April 14th wil wed Mr. William Hamilton of Elfort.

STUNNING HAT MODELS FOR SPRING

These attractive hat models are the latest Parisian creations for spring and summer, and after looking at them critically even a novice will be convinced that the average woman, regardless of height, age or shape of features, will find these designs becoming.

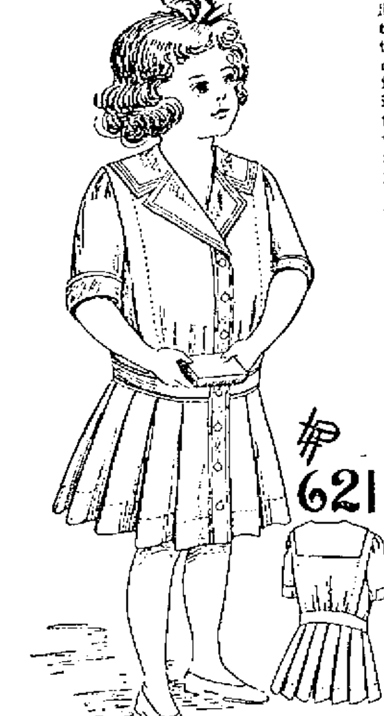
Incidentally, as both large and small patterns will be fashionable, matrons who prefer either size can be pleased and yet conform to the dictates of fashion, a condition that does not often exist.

Large models for carriage and afternoon wear seem more appropriate because as a rule they are more dressy in effect. While designs that fit the head comparatively close are usually associated with plain tailored suits worn for business and for morning shopping. Trimmings used are maline, net, ribbon, flowers arranged in flat rather than high designs.

PRACTICAL TUB FROCK

By Mrs. Jane Ford.

For warm weather girls needed numbers of tub frocks, and these must be simply made, so they will launder neatly. Such a dress model as this is shown here and should prove attractive to mothers who do their children's sewing. The pattern for this garment is cut in five sizes that will fit any girl between the ages of four and twelve years, and materials suitable for such frocks are in twenty-seven and thirty-six inch widths. Of the narrower fabric five yards will be needed, but of the wider three and one-half yards will be sufficient.



5 SIZES 4 TO 12 YEARS

Percales, chambrays, ginghams and plain colored linens are pretty for morning wear. The collar, band trimming and belt may be of the dress material or goods of a contrasting color. Such a frock seen in a shop recently was of heavy linen crash in the natural shade, and decorated with dark wood brown linen. The collar, belt and cuffs were outlined with three rows of narrow linen colored braid and the closing effected with large flat smoked pearl buttons.

Another little frock in the same style was of Delft blue linen ornamented with white hand embroidery with blue polka dots the size of a two cent piece.

The rough pongee weaves of silk are suitable for these frocks and are effective elaborated with feather stitching. French knots or couching. The latter is often used as a means of applying small circles, squares or diamonds cut from contrasting colors.

Cotton foulards are desirable for tub frocks and the patterns are small and may be secured with either dark or light backgrounds. These may be trimmed with heavy thread laces or with plain silk.

Materials for these Patterns can be bought of any Portsmouth Dry Goods merchant.

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Etiquette

Reception Etiquette.

R. D. S.—Women's hats and gloves are not removed at receptions. It is good form to thank the hostess for a delightful time, even if one has not enjoyed the occasion.

A call after an invitation is necessary, though regrets may have been sent in reply to it.

Tin Wedding.

DAILY READER.—To celebrate a tin wedding informally I would write notes to those whom you wish to invite, telling them the occasion and asking them to come at a certain time in the evening. They may be entertained by cards or other games.

The supper table should be laid entirely with tin utensils, an inexpensive arrangement which adds to the mirth of the evening. I would cook something in a chafing dish and serve salad, ice cream and cakes, using tin plates for everything. Your guests may serve themselves.

FADS FOR WOMEN

Among the portieres appropriate for dens, libraries, etc., are those made from strips of leather.

In dull tones these are effective. Browns and greens are restful, while the fine reds brighten a dull room. These draperies are made from flat strands laced together at intervals, then knotted and otherwise connected artistically. They are designed to take the place of rope portieres and will of course be more hygenic because they do not absorb dust as do woollen cords and may be easily dusted with a damp cloth. Price $2 upward.

Among the spring fabrics is a pretty light material called whalebone diagonal in mercerized cotton that is an exact reproduction of the woollen goods of the same name.

It is thirty-five cents a yard and comes in all shades. For spring frocks to be worn by young folk and for house gowns for older women this material is admirable.

It will wash if care is taken, so play frocks for little girls may be made when a substantial and pretty goods is desired.

On March the eighteenth Mrs. O. W. Robe will be host at the next meeting of Sons of Veterans Auxiliary which recently installed new officers, at the home of Mrs. Charles Amann.

Mrs. William Barbee of West Second had as guests recently her relatives, Mr. Samuel McCoy and sister, Miss Helen of Wellston.

Fixing Up Office.

W. C. Davis, the U. S. express route agent, spent Tuesday here giving instructions as to fitting up new fixtures in the company's local office.

Facts For Sick Women

We know of no other medicine which has been so successful in relieving the suffering of women, or secured so many genuine testimonials, as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

In almost every community you will find women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Almost every woman you meet has either been benefited by it, or knows some one who has.

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Thousands of unsolicited and genuine testimonials such as the following prove the efficiency of this simple remedy.

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"I want this letter made public to show the benefits to be derived from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. John G. Moldan, 2115 Second St., North Minneapolis, Minn.

Women who are suffering from those distressing ills peculiar to their sex should not lose sight of these facts or doubt the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore their health.

Some Pencil Snap Shots BY SHONK

NEW REPUBLICAN GANG CAUSE OF GREAT ROW

The publication in Tuesday's Times of the rumored deal by which County Auditor Tynes and former Congressman Henry T. Bannon were to become joint receivers of the political clothes, belongings and estates of the good Deacon Phile Clark came like a bombshell to Republican factional circles.

There was more scurrying about, more whispered conferences, more muttered curses to the square inch Tuesday night than there has been since the famous night that Phile led his shattered forces off the field the first time Searcy swept the town.

There was wrath galore in the breasts of the candidates slated to be deputies; there was soreness too deep for words in the hearts of those who were possessed of a longing to wear Deacon Clark's togs themselves; there were cries for blood! Axe, blood and revenge from those unfortunates who, like Nate Gilliland, Fillmore Musser, Higgie, Meogie, et al, were marked for elimination.

They do say that even Nate Gilliland set up a war whoop in hopes that it would reach clear to North Carolina, touch the flinty heart of the good Deacon and wean him away from his beloved golf.

"Talk about Roosevelt coming back and comparing it to the 'Return from Elba' of Napoleon," shouted Brother Gilliland on the upper market square. "Why, if this sort of thing is going on, I'm going to personally go and plead for Clark to come back. Then we'll join in and help lick the stuffin' out of the new gang. We'll show 'em."

Down on Market street, Roy McElhaney, who was "passed up" by both sides of the "new lights," was hurting the flood wall, so mad was he. "Make me a deputy, will they-" Mac screamed. "Not if I know myself. I'm no dummy to be poked around."

And so it went all along the line. Judging by expressions of the professional politicians, Tynes and Bannon will find themselves leaders without a party if they really carry out their alleged compact.

He May Decide To Make Race

Charles Clark, a popular foreman at the Excelsior shoe factory, has about decided to make the race for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff. Mr. Clark is a fine gentleman and has lived here for the past 17 years and, no doubt, he would be a formidable candidate. He is a strapping big fellow and clean-cut, and if elected would be the right man on the right job.

Rufe Fowler, of the Holmes Lumber company, of Bedford, N. C., was here Tuesday calling on old friends, en route to visit his friends near Piketon.

Charles, the baby son of Will Henson, who was thought to be hopelessly ill with pneumonia, was reported recovering Wednesday.

William Rutherford and some assistants are engaged in whitewashing the interior of the Tracy Shoe company's store.

Easter neckwear at Hess'.

ONLY ONE.

The Record in Portsmouth is a Unique One.

If the reader has a "bad back" or any Kidney ill and is looking for relief and cure, better depend on the only remedy endorsed by people you know. Doan's Kidney Pills relieve quickly—cure permanently. Portsmouth citizens testify to this. Here is a case of it:

Andrew Kuhns, 1115 Findlay street, Portsmouth, Ohio, says: "Fully thirteen years ago I first learned of Doan's Kidney Pills. In my work as an iron moulder, I was compelled to be in a stooped position a great part of the time and when my kidneys began to give out, this stooping became almost impossible on account of the acute pain in the small of my back. I was also much annoyed by irregular and painful passages of the kidney secretions, in fact, I was in almost constant misery. It only required a box or two of Doan's Kidney Pills, which I procured at Pfeifer & Streich's drug store, to relieve me. In 1897 and again in December, 1904, I publicly told my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills and at the present time, I am firm in my belief that they are equal in bringing relief from kidney complaint. I always keep a box of Doan's Kidney Pills in the house although it is seldom that I have any need of them."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

CONSIDERATE OF STATE GRAFTERS

Columbus, O., Mar. 9.—It is announced that the suits brought by Attorney General Denman for the recovery of money alleged withheld from the state and which had been collected as interest on public funds during the Cameron and McKinnon state treasury administrations, will be submitted to the court on brief and that there will be no trial. The taking of depositions in these cases will soon be started. If no trials are held the cases will be less sensational. The taking of depositions will occupy much time and just when the cases will be ready for the consideration of the court is problematical.

County Roads In Bad Shape

Complaints are reaching the city of the condition of Alleghency hill, near Wait's station. Light express wagons have become mired until it required four and six horses to get them up the hill. Hubbard's moving van got stalled the other day and it took six horses to pull same up the hill.

Meets Ex-Residents.

James Milhuff, a well known former Portsmouth resident, writes from Louisville, Ky., that another former Portsmouth couple have become his neighbors. They are George Moffet and wife who have rented a flat next door to one occupied by the Milhuffs. Mr. Moffett was local agent of the C. & O. some years ago.

Likes His Work.

Will Meyer, private secretary to Congressman Johnson of Ironton, writes friends here that he is getting along swimmingly with his work and expects to come to Portsmouth next month.

Is Still Missing.

Mrs. O. E. Parker who left her husband last Sunday as a result of a quarrel, is still missing. However knowing ones say that interesting developments may be awaited.

News And Gossip From The Capitol

Columbus, O., Mar. 9.—There will be no temperance nor anti-temperance legislation this year. The defeat of the Dean bill to allow cities to vote on saloons separately by a vote of 18 to 16 by the senate Tuesday afternoon proves this. As was expected the vote was exceedingly close. The house members are breathing a sigh of relief. They did not want to be put in the position of being put on record on the measure. Senator Dean made a short talk on his bill and then the vote was taken. He said it had increased taxes and not decreased crime. Wayne B. Wheeler, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, said that public sentiment was against any change in the county local option law until there had a been a full opportunity of the people to test its efficiency. He said the first year of its operation had been very satisfactory. Ex-Senator I. R. Rose, author of the county option law, was in the senate when the Dean bill, which sought to kill his measure, was defeated. The bill was disposed of in less than 15 minutes, and there was no argument aside from the brief statement of the author.

The state is facing a financial crisis. There is need for the right kind of action to prevent this on the part of the general assembly. If something is not done Ohio is liable to go bankrupt. Attorney General Denman, in a lengthy communication to Governor Harmon and the legislators, calls attention to the danger. For several years there has been a strong feeling that the Cole law, under which all quasi-public service corporations are required to pay annually to the state a tax of one per cent of their gross receipts and from the operation of which the state gets annually more than two million dollars, is unconstitutional. The attorney general does not give an opinion on the law is no good, but he points out what would happen to the state if the supreme court should knock out the law.

It is very evident that he does not think the law would stand the test of the courts, and he points out what remedial action should be taken to prevent the state falling into a situation such as would be created were the law to be held to be invalid and the state thus deprived of its biggest income.

He suggests several plans. One is to amend the Cole law to make it only apply to Ohio corporations. Now it applies to foreign corporations. A Texas decision indicates foreign companies cannot be taxed in a similar way to that of the Ohio law. He would also raise the tax from one to two per cent. Another suggestion that the Willis law, requiring Ohio corporations to pay one-tenth of one per cent of their paid-up capital be changed to increase this tax. Another suggestion is to restore the old state levy. Another plan is to place all corporations under the Nichols excise law. Another recommendation is that a penalty be provided for failure to return all property for taxation. He would also make the state treasurer collector of all monies for the state. Now most departments collect money. The auditor collects railroads and public service corporations, the insurance commissioner collects insurance taxes and the secretary of state collects the Willis law taxes. All this would be turned over to the treasurer for collection. This would stop chance for graft. The attorney general's communication caused a great furore and the members now realize that the state is facing a situation which is grave.

The senate passed the Lawyer bill, making it necessary for the bride-to-be to be in probate court when the application is made for a marriage license. This is to stop elopements and the marriage of girls under age. The way it is now licenses are issued without the appearance of either of the contracting parties in court. The bill now goes to the house.

The house committee has recommended the passage of the bill of Representative Randall Anderson, of Mahoning, to permit Sunday baseball. When a certain percentage of the voters petition for a submission of the question, the people may vote on it at the next general or regular election.

The house passed the Ritter bill, appropriating $16,000 for 80 more acres for the state rifle range at Camp Perry.

Women from all over the state will be present at the hearing on the eight-hour bill for women before the house labor committee tonight.

Disease Originates in the Blood.

Pure Blood is a safeguard against disease. Keep your blood rich in iron and its essential elements, and the body will be healthy strong and well. The best way to administer iron is by taking VINOL, which is a combination of the medicinal elements of Cod Liver Oil and Tonic Iron, it makes red blood corpuscles and thus creates strength quicker than any other method. Frank Amann, druggist, Portsmouth, O.

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The Wrong Name.

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For sore throat, sharp pain in lungs, tightness across the chest, hoarseness or cough, have the parts with Sloan's Liniment. You don't need to rub, just lay it on lightly. It penetrates instantly to the seat of the trouble, relieves congestion and stops the pain.

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There never has been a time when a brooch looked prettier than now. The delicate knots, falls and cascades of lace which fashion has made popular need the brooch to complete their effect, and either the deep, rich coloring of the amethyst, topaz and other semi-precious stones or the exquisite workmanship of the enameled flower designs and conventional patterns will suit their dainty creations.

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Biggest Crowd Yet At Second Church

The largest attendance of any week night was present at the meeting at the Second Presbyterian church Tuesday evening, and not only was the crowd there, but it was interested, and took part in th eservice. The congregations at these evangelistic services are increasing by leaps and bounds and it will not be long before people will have to be turned away.

The Tuesday shop meeting at the Tenth street factory of the Irving Drew company was a rouser, and was highly successful. Evangelist Davidson gave a short talk that was masterly and powerful. A number of requests for prayer were received. Wednesday the meeting was held at the Selby company.

Tuesday night Evangelist Davidson preached on "How do we know that there is a future life." The outline of his sermon is as follows:

All believe in a future life of some kind. How may we be sure of it? Because no man can reach his possibilities here. There must be a place where he can.

All have a longing for a future life, and so our personal and mental longings are provided for.

The evangelist closed with an appeal to live a better life, and a number responded.

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A FINE FISH DISPLAY AT ABE MAYER'S STORE

Without question the most elaborate display of fish ever seen in Portsmouth is that at Abe Mayer's delicatassen on Gallia street this week. The most interesting feature of the display is a King mackerel which measures exactly three feet. It is the first ever brought to the River city, and has been sold to the Manhattan restaurant. Another of equal size was sold to John W. O'Brien of Healey. Besides the display includes some choice pike, striped bass, Potomac shad, black bass and green pike.

LIKES THE CLIMATE OUT IN NEW MEXICO

Timothy G. Jewett writes home from New Mexico that he is already feeling the benefit of the dry climate there. Mr. Jewett had been suffering with severe coughing spells all winter and his lungs seemed about to be affected. He will remain in the South-west until the approach of summer and expects to visit some dry climate now every winter.

On Way to Coast.

Ed. Dancer of the Seventh street fire company, is in receipt of a letter from Lou "Speck" Arnold telling of his arrival at El Paso, Texas en route to the Pacific coast. "Speck" had Billy Doyle as a traveling companion as far as St. Louis. He left El Paso Wednesday for California and hopes the change of climate will restore his health.

Was Transferred.

George Brown, the C. & O. section foreman at South Portsmouth, has been transferred to Carr's, Ky. He moved his family Tuesday. Taylor Lamblin of Frost, will succeed to the South Portsmouth foremanship.

Engineer John Davidson, of the B. & O. S. W. switch engine, is planning to take a pleasure trip to Williamson and other West Virginia points next week.

Has a New Gun.

Sergeant Dan Buckley is the proud possessor of a new regulation Smith & Messon revolver purchased for him by Chief Davidson. Every member of the force with out a single exception, is now equipped with one of these fine guns.

Dan, the fire big patrol horse ran a nail into his foot Tuesday and has since been slightly lame.

NOTICE

Lillie Chapman, whose residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 20th day of September, A. D., 1909, Horace L. Small filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas, of Scioto County, Ohio, Cause Number 12706, against the above named party and others, praying for partition of certain real estate, situate in the Township of Clay, County of Scioto, and State of Ohio, to wit: Lot number 72, in the Village of New Boston, in said Township of Clay, County of Scioto and State of Ohio.

Said party is required to answer on or before the 30th day of April, A. D., 1910.

FRANK B. FINNEY,
feb16-6wed Attorney for Plaintiff.

Bad Half Hour For Sandles

Columbus, O., Mar. 9.—Secretary A. P. Sandles, of the state board of agriculture, had a bad half hour before the legislative food probe committee. He was summoned to be asked why he had not turned over to the attorney general for use in prosecution the evidence secured by his department showing violations of the law by 73 fertilizer companies. He said that the board had been unfortunate in its experience with the law in court and that it had usually come off with the costs to pay and libel suits on its hands. Attorney General Denman has made demand upon Sandles for this evidence, and as soon as he gets it he will bring suit against all companies which have sold their products below the standard fixed by law.

To Visit Old Home.

Fred Weghorst and wife and sister-in-law, Miss Ida Freidell, arrived here from Pittsburg Monday en route to Buena Vista for a visit to relatives. Fred is i the oil business for himself in the Smoky City.

Rev. Davis Talked.

Rev. Geo. Davis of this city, who is home from China where he was engaged in mission work, recently addressed several audience in churches at South Bend, Ind., on the subject "Missions."

NO MORE GRAY HAIR.

It is easier to preserve the color of the hair than to restore it, although it is possible to do both. Our grandmothers understood the secret. They made and used a "sage tea," and their dark, glossy hair long after middle life was due to this fact. Our mothers have gray hair before they are fifty, but they are beginning to appreciate the wisdom of our grandmothers in using "sage tea" for their hair, and are fast following suit. The present generation has the advantage of the past in that it can get a ready to use preparation called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur. As a scalp tonic and color restorer, this preparation is vastly superior to the ordinary "sage tea" made by our grandmothers, and it can be bought for 50 cents and $1 a bottle at almost any first-class drug store, or will be sent direct by the Wyeth Chemical Company, 74 Cortlandt St., New York City, upon receipt of price.

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MRS. A. SPENCE ASKS DIVORCE

Mrs. Agnes Spence through her attorney, Robert C. Myers, filed a petition in common pleas court Tuesday evening, asking for a divorce from Isaac Spence, alleging wilful absence for more than three years; namely, since January 1st, 1896, to the present time. The parties were married in 1894, living together but two years.

Mr. Russell Better.

Geo. Russell, who fell down a flight of stairs at his home on East Third street Monday, seriously injuring himself, spent a fairly good night and was somewhat improved Wednesday.

SAD PLIGHT OF STRANGER

G. Muller, the Pittsburg chemist, whose strange antics caused Morris Abams, proprietor of the Eureka hotel, to appeal to the police to take him off his hands, spent Tuesday night at the city prison. Muller was taken into custody by Officer Phillips and locked up for safe keeping pending investiagtion.

The man seemed to have lost all sense of location or direction, and if he ventured a square away from his boarding place he could not find his way back unassisted. He came here from Pittsburg to take a position at the Portsmouth Steel Co. plant, but left there one day and never went back.

BOY TRAMP IS GIVEN SCARE

A boy tramp who gave the name of Neville Cameron, spent the night at the police station. He was put in a room with G. Muller, the demented Pittsburg chemist, told of elsewhere, but Muller chased him out, threatened to kill him. Cameron tells a story of having been placed in a children's home and then traveling over the country with a band of Salvationists. He says he spent several months in Portsmouth a year ago. He claims to be on his way to Anderson county, Va., where his relatives reside.

NEW BILL OF INTEREST TO THE TOWNSHIP

Columbus, O., March 9.—Senator Duvall of Jefferson county, offered a bill in the senate giving township school boards authority to call a special election to effect centralization of the district, upon the petition of one-fourth of the voters. Now such elections may only be held when regular elections are on. Township boards all over the state have written in for this bill.

Take Up Collection.

It is said a collection was taken up in the Selby shoe factory on Tuesday for Mrs. Richard Elliott, a widow of Franklin avenue and her destitute family.

Lydia Clark's Condition.

Miss Lydia Clark, the victim of a shooting affray last summer, is reported slowly improving at the home of her parents in the West End.

New goods at Haas'.

Land of Nod Failed to Please

Many different opinions were rendered on the production of "The Land of Nod," at the Grand opera house Tuesday night—some against it and some for it. However, the show, everything taken into consideration, was fairly pleasing and entertaining.

To a certain extent, "The Land of Nod," was a disappointment. In fact the show did not come up to expectations. The costumes, scenery, and general staging of the extravaganza were gorgeous, and this at once created a good impression.

The trouble with "The Land of Nod" was that the actors failed to satisfy the conditions created by the fine mechanical properties which the production possessed, and thus a feeling of disappointment was created.

The comedy was really very good, although the actors were not. The music in "The Land of Nod" is beautiful and is not a monotony of airs that sound like ones often heard before. With good singers no fault could have been found with the production, but the singing was very poor, and required an effort to listen to it with any degree of patience.

Not one of the soloists deserves any special mention, and as for the chorus, it, too, was not up to what would be expected. However, one of the finest pieces of character portrayal ever seen in Portsmouth was the acting of the blood-thirsty Sandman by William Morgan. Mr. Morgan is to be congratulated on his careful study of the part, as it was most finished.

Art Martin, a clerk at the C. & O. ticket office, is still nursing a badly swollen and stiff neck caused by a troublesome boil.

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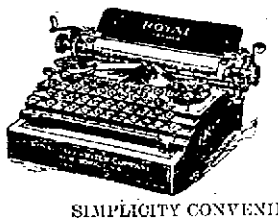

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EVENING TIMES SPORTS

DOYLE WRITES FROM MARLIN SPRINGS, TEX.

Marlin Springs, Tex., March 8.
Sporting Editor Times,
Portsmouth, Ohio:

I had the pleasure of meeting Sid Mercer of the N. Y. Globe, Bozeman Bulger of the Evening World and Sam'l Crane of the Evening Journal. They are surely a fine set of men. Sam Crane's health has been bad of late. He has been in Mexico all winter and came from there to Marlin to join the Giants. He is an old time ball player. His best years in base ball were with Detroit in 1885, '86 and '87. He claims Ches Spencer is a Sam Crawford in the rough and McGraw will make a great hitter out of him. Ches had two big long bats he had slept with all winter in Portsmouth and he prized them highly. McGraw took the two big clubs and threw them over the fence and handed him a couple of short clubs and made him hug the plate. And I wish you could see the Redhead clout them. If Ches don't get a regular place it is a cinch McGraw will keep a good, strong string to him. Our own Al Bridwell is surely cutting up. It only takes Brid about two days to get in shape. For you know he is always training a little during the winter. He is playing in July form now. He runs rings around the other infielders. The Giants have several new infielders and when Brid went out to the field the other day he made a couple of great stops over second with one hand and a big Negro in the bleachers got up and yelled "No chance fo' nobody—you other Giant short stops might as well pack your trunk right now and go back home."

Things look bad for Chief Wilhams. McGraw was talking to me about getting Gardner of Dallas taking him. They have been looking bad for Chief in the field and at the bat. Bill Parsons is getting along pretty nice and they seem to think pretty well of him.

McGraw is surely having a fine time of it these days. How would you like to have the job of watching 47 work out twice a day. He has a great help in Robinson and Arlie Latham. Rube Marquard is surely in fine form and looks as he might have a great season. Matty is also in good shape and the "Bug" is on the water wagon and with Wiltse New York is good in the box and in fact the team looks good all but the catchers.

The weather is fine, just like June weather at home. I traded my overcoat for a straw hat and when I went to dinner Ches Spencer had a dish of strawberries in front of him. He said: "Bill, I love old Portsmouth, but oh you Texas berries." Fred Tenny is ill and is using a cane. I don't think he will get in the game for a while. He is surely a fine fellow. McGraw was telling a story about Tenny. He says Fred never uses profane language and when he gets mad at the umps, this is the way he swears: "Confound it I hit the ball over this oyster. It was a foot outside."

Hugh Jenning has his bunch at San Antonio. He has picked the race in the National and claims they will finish Chicago, Pittsburg, New York, Cincinnati, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Brooklyn and Boston.

Jack O'Connor is at Houston. I saw him at the depot on his way through. Brice Haskins, an old friend of mine, was with him. He is working for the St. Louis Re[illegible].

Frank, I wish you could see the newspaper men. They are certainly kept busy. They all have cameras snapping pictures most all day and shooting the ball dope over the wires at night.

Charley Carr has a nice looking bunch of men at Waco. The Dallas club had New York on the run yesterday and if they would have pulled off one play they might have put it over on McGraw's boys. There was one man out and two men on bases, second and third. Big Meyers, the Indian, was at the bat. If he had been walked, pitcher Drucks was next up and a weak hitter. But Big Meyers caught a fast one and sent it up against the fence and the game was over. Evans, a big Hirsch from Dayton, worked and made a fine showing. Gowdy got two doubles, so "my" youngsters got away good. McGraw thinks well of Bresnahan club. Thinks he strengthened it by trades last winter and claims they will beat out Boston and Brooklyn and make the other clubs hustle.

They mobbed a negro here. I suppose you read it in Friday's paper. I will send you a picture of the mob.

Well Frank, I think I have given you enough dope. I did not sleep well last night. I imagined I could hear Jack O'Hara yelling.

Hoping this finds you O. K. and remember me to all my friends.

I remain your friend,
BILLY DOYLE.

Rossman is expected to show better brain work this season. He has just had a growth removed from his left foot.

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TAFT WANTS TO SEE CUBS PLAY

Pittsburg, March 9.—The ball game between Pittsburg and Chicago, scheduled for May 5 has been forwarded to May 2 that President Taft may see his brother's team clash with the Pirates on Forbes field. Last May the president attended a game here between these two teams at the old grounds, Exposition park. President Dreyfuss received the Chicago management's assent to change today.

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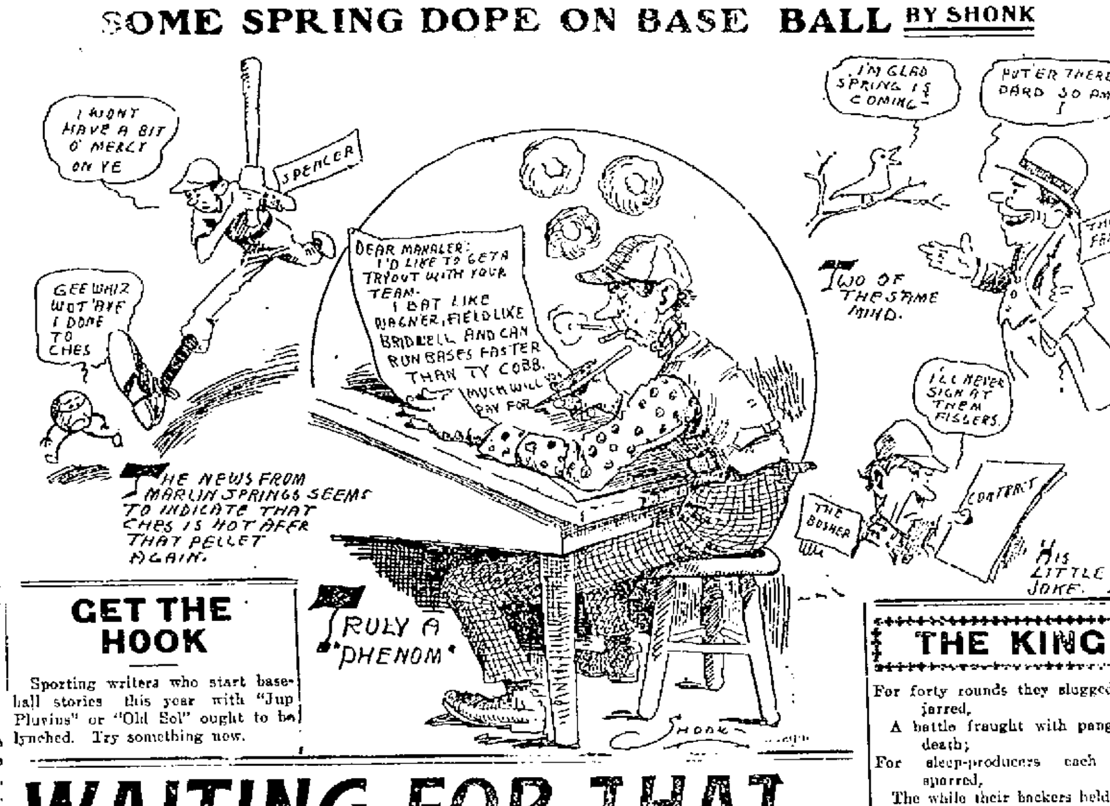
THEY KNOW "OUR" MIKE

It was a long wait, but Mike Roach has finally advanced to the dignity of an Ohio league manager, says the Columbus Dispatch. Roach will work in the Portsmouth flood district.

Simmons, the Rochester infielder, who has gone to the training quarters with the Detroit Tigers, was a great favorite in the New York state town, and his host of friends are confident that he will land a substitute position.

SOME SPRING DOPE ON BASE BALL BY SHONK



GET THE HOOK

Sporting writers who start baseball stories this year with "Jup Pluvius" or "Old Sol" ought to be lynched. Try something now.

JACKSON BOY SIGNS TO PLAY

Jackson, O., Mar. 9.—Will James, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin James, of Glen Roy, north of here, has signed to pitch for the Hannibal, Mo., league team this season. Young James, who is a southpaw, twirled for Bluffton in the Northern Indiana league, last year, and won a vastly majority of his games. He made a great record as a high school and amateur twirler, and his many admirers are confident he will eventually land in fast company.

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Kling Decision Later.

Cincinnati, O., March 9.—For the benefit of those seeking information of the Kling case, President Herrmann of the Reds, says that no decision will be given out until next week. The delay is caused by the absence of Ban Johnson of the national commission, who is in California with Comiskey's White Sox.

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THE KING

For forty rounds they slugged and jarred,
A battle fraught with pangs of death;
For sleep-producers each man sparred,
The while their backers held their breath;
The minutes passed, the fight progressed,
And all the fans sat wondering.
Each round but adder greater zest—
"The king is dead! Long live the king!"

Out-ironed was the iron man;
Outlasted and outslugged he fell;
The leader of the lightweight clan
Had told his tale and told it well;
Age balked at such a gruelling pace—
It was not meant for such a thing,
And weakened in the fruitless race—
"The king is dead! Long live the king!"

The king is dead! Yet in defeat
He fought as he had always fought;
Unknown the fateful word "retreat;"
A life of winning battles fraught.
Bruised, battered, stunned, he battled on,
Till punishment had lost its sting.
He went the way the best have gone—
"The king is dead! Long live the king!"

—C. P. McDONALD.

Sykes Boosts Ches Mallory

Secretary J. L. Finney, of the Portsmouth Baseball Co., is in receipt of a letter from H. E. Sykes, of Clarington, O., containing a big boost for Chester Mallory, of that city, whom Mr. Sykes would like to see given a chance on the Portsmouth team. He is an infielder, and, according to his sponsor is a sure enough star.

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Preacher Becomes Umpire.

Peoria, Ill., March 9.—Rev. George Schroeder, pastor of the First Congregational church at Elmwood, has been signed as umpire in the Illinois and Michigan league. When his application for the position of umpire was accepted he tendered his resignation.

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The day of the umpire is dawning. One of them, Tom Lynch, is boss of the National league; another, John Heydler, is its secretary; a third, George Bauswine, is a police lieutenant, and down in Georgia they declined to hang an umpire who beat to death a pitcher who disputed his decisions on balls and strikes.

Have Secured Ball Ground

The Chillicothe ball club has closed a lease for the old fair grounds and will at once enclose it and lay out a diamond.

New spring ties at Haas'.

WAITING FOR THAT BOWLING VERDICT

Wonder what those "cut-ups" of "ours" will do at Detroit tonight?

That's a question that is worrying a good many ten pin artists in this city.

The boys are now on the ground and when most of the people of this fair city have wrapped the drapery of their couch about them and gone to the "hay" Capt. Morford will lead his braves to the highly polished alleys in Wayne Garden in the City of Straits to do or die in the attempt.

The boys are hopeful—full to the brim, and expect to wipe out that awful record that was made at Pittsburg one year ago tomorrow.

The ball will sound at 11:30 tonight, and at its first peal five big husky bowlers from the River City will step out in the limelight and with a pulsating stride amble over to alley No. 13 and the fuss will commence.

Charles Malavazos, collected and determined will lead off. Wonder, will it be a strike or spare or split or miss? Then comes Fred Prediger, with a gleam of duty in his orbits. What will Freddie do? Then Schreiber, the "Wild Man from Borcno," followed by Doherty and then the Kentucky Colonel.

Well, boys, go to it. Everybody down this way is pulling for you to at least total 2,400. If you do that well, you can rest assured there will be quite a bunch at the depot to welcome you home. The more you make, the greater will be the reception committee. If you fail to add anything to your Pittsburg score take the back alleys when you once hit the Peerless City. But at that some of the faithful will be at the other end to see what you carried home in your suit cases!

Rushtown Man Wants Chance

Harry Johnson, the Rushtown pitcher, is in the city, and expects to sign a Portsmouth contract before he returns home. He says he is in good shape and believes he can hold his own. He has received an offer from Chillicothe, but prefers to play in Portsmouth.

Penn plans to have an aerial organization. Better keep the baseball pitchers out of it.

Ohio State League Is Coming Nicely

Tuesday's Ohio State Journal says:

Renova, Pa., has two distinguished baseball experts, Bill Friel and Mike Roach. Each will manage an Ohio club this season. Friel, is to be at the head of the Columbus Senators. Roach, who was a Senator during the season of 1903, has accepted a proposition to direct the Portsmouth club of the Ohio State League.

By coming to an agreement with Roach, President Gableman and the directors of the Portsmouth club have placed the field care of their team in the hands of an experienced man. For some seasons past Roach has managed the Binghamton club of the New York State League. He is expected to get good results from the ambitious young players who will be placed at his command.

When the final alignment of Ohio State clubs are made it will be found that each will have a captain field general. Marion has Joe Lewis signed as manager. Lima has a couple under cover, either of whom has been tested already.

Bob Berryhill goes into Newark with a reputation of success there in past years. Al McClintock is progressing nicely with the making up of the Lancaster club. Chillicothe is up with the bunch, even if not much noise has been made there.

Arrangements for the foundation of a club in the northern section to balance up with Kenova and round out a circuit of eight clubs are under good headway. Mansfield is still the property of the league, but the Ohio-Penn is begging so hard for that territory that a "donation" party may be arranged one of these days.

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Keeler For Toronto.

New York, March 9.—Willie Keeler, according to his friends, has practically made up his mind to play with Joe Kelly's Toronto team instead of the Giants. Keeler should be a star in the Eastern league and should be the leading hitter. It is said that McGraw does not want to sign Keeler until Donlin has declined to return to the Giants, and that Wee Willie, not relishing the delay, has shown a desire to talk business with Toronto.

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What! Lehman's slippers.

Larry And His Busted Knee

Now, what do you think they say about Larry McLan and his broken knee cap?

Nothing more or less than the injury has made him a faster man than ever!

Go to work, Larry, and bust your sound knee—you'll be able to steal a base if the same proportion holds good.

All of which is to laugh!

Larry's wounded knee may be sound again, the broken bones may have knitted perfectly and it is to be hoped that the prop will perform its functions just as though it had never met up with a collision, but all this "Dolt Allen" dope in Wednesday's Times-Star about Larry being faster than ever, sounds pretty much bish-wah.

Anyhow, Larry and his knee have taken up their quoto of space in the sport pages of the Cincinnati dailies, and now that the "war correspondents" are on the battle field at Hot Springs, it would seem that the subject should not be referred to so often, especially when there are so many "charley-horses" in the Red army.

Eagan Reports; Joy In Red Camp

The best news of the season came to hand Wednesday, when Dick Eagan sent word to Manager Griffith at Hot Springs that he had packed his carpet sack and started from his home in San Francisco for the Red camp.

Eagan is without doubt one of the best second basemen in the country. He showed of what stuff he was made at the beginning of last season when he played rings around Miller Huggins and practically sent the "Rabbit" to the discard pile. Without Eagan's services the Reds would have but little chance for a top notch berth, and the Reds' fans and admirers in this hotbed of baseballism are now willing to lay odds that Griff's boys finish one, two, three. Eagan has not as yet affixed his signature to a contract, but that little matter will be attended to ere he is in camp very long. Griffith appreciates the rangy fellow's worth, and the two will have no trouble in getting together on a solid financial basis.

To jump off the subject real suddenly, the news coming from Hot Springs is most encouraging, although this same highly seasoned dope is always the fans' portion during early spring. Wingo Anderson, the Texas twirler, who has Three-Fingered Brown, of the Chicago Cubs beaten several city blocks when it comes to possessing a crippled mitt, is the cut-up of the bunch, and Griff says he likes his style. He has perfect control, is a splendid fielder, and hits 'em a mile. And Bescher—my, that bear-cat! The way he is slugging 'em out and circling those cushions—well, there'll be nothing to it—they can't stop the Gem City boy when he puts on a full head of steam. Rowan, the uncontrollable, is cutting up capers that leads Griff to remark that he is going to be as steady as grandpa's clock. Rowan had everything but control last year. He is a giant in stature and has speed to burn. Let him get proper hang of the plate, and he'll make a record that will cause Christy Mathewson to look to his crown.

Laddie Link To be Regular

Columbus, O., Mar. 9.—Laddie Link, who formerly pitched for Newark in the Ohio State league, will be carried all year by the Cleveland club if he keeps right and in condition. He has shown enough in his work last season and in spring training at Alexandria to make one Cleveland official venture this statement. Link is one of two southpaws on the Cleveland club, and that is the main reason he will get the benefit of a year's stay with the Naps even if he doesn't develop into a major league star in 1910. Link has shown stuff, however, and may do good enough work to more than earn the right to be carried along in the hope of coming strong a year hence.

CHES & BILLY ARE BOOSTED

Sam Crane, the dean of baseball writers and the brilliant correspondent for the New York World, hands "our" Billy Doyle a fine boost from his quarters at Marlin Springs. To use Crane's own words "The Giants, now in training at this resort, are watching with much interest the work of Infielder Gowdy and Pitcher Hirsch, of the Dallas team. These two youngsters were secured for nothing by Billy Doyle, of Portsmouth, O., an official scout of the Dallas team. I never saw a better hustler than Doyle, and were I the manager of a National league team I would most certainly hook on to the popular scout. He is a second edition of Barney Dreyfuss, his knowledge of the inside workings of major and minor leagues being nothing but marvelous."

Before he concludes his article, Crane says "That because McGraw is playing Ches Spencer at third and second, does not mean that the Portsmouth, O., boy is out of the running as a candidate for first base honors with the Giants. McGraw is simply trying to develop a little more speed in Spencer. I was talking to McGraw not ten minutes ago and he told me that Spencer was a second Sam Crawford when it came to hitting the ball. I am sure that McGraw will place a tight string on the sorrel top chap and that he will not be allowed to get away even if he does not make the regular team. So far as I am personally concerned, Spencer looks good to me. He is one of the best behaved members in the Giant camp, and I for one hope he becomes a regular."

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The Circuit Court Hears Arguments

The case of Thomas C. Anderson against the N. & W. railroad, an ejectment suit, was argued before circuit court Tuesday evening and Wednesday morning. Attorney Oscar Newman appeared for the defendant and Mr. Anderson appeared in his own behalf.

The case of Horchow against the City of Portsmouth was argued Wednesday morning. Milner, Miller & Searl appeared for the plaintiff and Horace L. Small for the defendant.

This is a street assessment case involving Mr. Horchow's property on Fourth and Union streets. By a recent ruling of the supreme court relative to corner lot assessments, both parties to the suit were so affected that it was necessary to amend their petitions and pleadings and the court continued the case for their benefit.

The search and seizure case of the state against William V. Maier, coming on an application to file a petition in error from common pleas court, was next called. Judge Milner represented the defendant, and Prosecutor Moulton was aided by Attorney J. W. White, of Columbus, attorney for the Anti-Saloon league. Judge Milner read the testimony given in common pleas court. In his argument he declared that the only evidence against Mr. Maier was the fact of him having a United States license.

Mr. Moulton opened the argument for the state. He called the court's attention to the affidavit, which charged Maier of keeping a place where intoxicating liquors were kept for sale as a beverage. He laid particular stress upon the testimony of Oscar Adams, who preceded the raiders to Maier's place of business to take note of anything that might be done there in preparation for the raid. He also laid stress upon the first testimony of Maier himself and of the testimony of the chemists that analyzed the flip, near beer, etc., taken from the residence and soft drink parlor. He said that the actions of the one engaged there spoke louder than the testimony of those who were in the habit of making that their loafing quarters.

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PEEL, Auctioneer.

Constable Neu Is A Notary

Constable John Neu is now a notary public, having received his commission bearing the signature of Governor Judson Harmon Tuesday. Constable Neu is not only one of the best officials the city ever had, but intends to make the office a paying one. Hence the notary commission that hangs in his office. He says he was given a right to cuss when he was elected as constable, but now that the state has conferred on him the power to swear, he expects to make the air blue around the squire's court, corner of Eighth and Chillicothe streets.

Directions for Colic in Horses.—Contents of small bottle Painkiller (Perry Davis') in quart bottle, add pint warm or cold water, sweeten with molasses, shake well until ali mixed. Give about half at once, then balance in fifteen minutes. If first dose i not sufficient. This will be found a never-failing remedy. 25c. for a large bottle. Also in 25c. and 50c. sizes.

Council to Make Street

It is rumored that a proposition will be brought before the council of New Boston, Thursday night, requesting the village to establish a street and alley on the north side of the B. & O. tracks between Ohio avenue and West avenue. At present the village has no shipping facilities by reason of the railroad not owning any land for depot or loading purposes along any street.

Has New Awning.

C. Hens, well known East End shoe dealer, received a fine awning Tuesday for his new store in the Kirby building on East Gallia street.

Greenland Disabled

Gallipolis, O., March 9.— The Green Line's packet steamer, Greenland, in command of Capt. Wm. Carney, Cincinnati, became disabled by the breaking down of one engine, just above here. The steamer was landed and later taken to Pt. Pleasant for repairs, and the steamer Greendale sent on to Cincinnati with the disabled packet's cargo and passengers.

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BIRTHDAYS AT SQUIRES COURT

Squire Byron's court is busy these days celebrating birthdays. Yesterday the genial Squire was 42 years of age, and on Wednesday the brave, Squire shouldered Constable John Neu reached his forty-first milestone in life's journey. Both the Squire and the Constable declare they feel like young men of 21 years of age, but their friends are not particularly anxious to take their word for it. The Squire has long ago obeyed the Roosevelt injunction, for he is the father of three splendid children, but the Constable has developed into a confirmed bachelor, although they do say he has become tired of single blessedness and would jump at the chance.

Notice.

The Knights and Ladies of Security will hold a very important meeting at the Eagles Hall, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Business of great importance and every member is asked to be present. By order of the secretary, Mrs. Mae Wright.

New Jersey Man Gets License

Harry C. Karn, aged 21, a farmer of Morristown, New Jersey, was granted a license about nine o'clock Tuesday evening to marry Miss Minnie May Hughes, 22, of New Boston. Squire Hackward performed the marriage ceremony.

The Lash of a Fiend.

would have been about as welcome to A. Cooper, of Osango, N. Y., as a merciless lung-racking cough that defied all remedies for years. "It was most troublesome at night," he writes, "nothing helped me till I used Dr. King's New Discovery, which cured me completely. I never cough at night now." Millions know its matchless merit for stubborn colds, obstinate coughs, sore lungs, lagrippe, asthma, hemorrhage, croup, whooping cough, or hay fever. It relieves quickly and never fails to satisfy. A trial convinces. 50c. $1.00. Trial bottle free. It is positively guaranteed by The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

WHEELING FACES ST. CAR STRIKE

Wheeling, W. Va., Mar. 9.—This city is facing the probability of a street car strike owing to a disagreement between the Carmen's Union and the street railway managers. Trouble started over the discharge of several conductors whom the company accused of "Smoking down" fares. The union claims this was a subterfuge and done to get rid of some of their leaders.

Plan For Big Time

Chillicothe Aerie of Eagles will have a class of 27 candidates for initiation Thursday night when degrees will be conferred by officers of Portsmouth Aerie. They expect to ply on a few candidates only. Following the work there will be a big banquet.

Rigden Hall, who was laid up with acute indigestion for a week, has resumed his duties at Burt & Hall's store.

SENATOR DICK SENDS BOOKS

Captain N. W. Evans was delighted Wednesday morning when he received a communication from Senator Charles Dick informing him that he would shortly receive seven volumes of Prof. Frederick N. Thorpe's history. The work contains a copy of all the charters and constitutions of every state in the Union, running back to the time when the states were settled by colonists. The work was done under the supervision of the United States government and Prof. Thorpe received $10,000 for compiling the work. The seven volumes will be presented to the public library by Capt. Evans as soon as they are received.

Capt. Evans recently implored Congressman Rom Johnson to secure the works, but the Lawrence county politician fell down on the job and it was then that Senator Dick was appealed to.

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HOW COURT HOUSE STOOD THE FIRE

Capt. N. W. Evans has received the following answers to questions he propounded to Editor J. E. Cross, concerning the damage done to the court house at West Union recently destroyed by fire:

1. "Were the trees about the square killed or injured by the fire?" Answer "No."
2. "Were the foundation walls of stone in any way injured or damaged by the fire?" Answer "No."
3. "Was there a full basement under the building excavated to the natural stone?" Answer "No."
4. "If the court house was rebuilt with the present walls, how could the building be heated by steam?" Answer "Furnace in the basement."
5. "Could the steam plant be in the basement, or would it have to be outside?" Answer "Inside."
6. "Can the present walls be used in a new structure?" Answer "Only partially."

Money to Loan on Real Estate. The Portsmouth Savings & Loan Co., Opera House Block 7-3eod

Pleads Guilty To An Assault

Howard Johnson, son of Mail-carrier Johnson, faced Squire Byron on Tuesday evening on the charge of assault, preferred against him by Jim Bond, father of William Bond, 12 years of age. He pleaded guilty and was assessed the costs in the action.

According to John's story, young Johnson has been in the habit of slapping his son, and he wanted the practice stopped. It was learned that several days ago an older son of Bond's knocked young Johnson down, and the latter is supposed to have taken out his revenge on his assailant's brother.

At Children's Home.

Three of the five children of Mrs. John Childs, 1406 Findlay street, were admitted to the Children's Home Tuesday.

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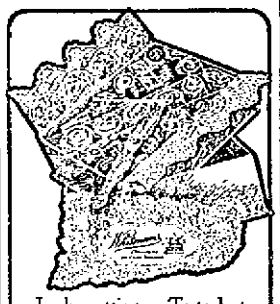

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